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IN MEMORIAM.

CRAWFURTH SMITH—In ever-present remembrance of Malcolm Douglas Crawfurth Smith (Boy), late Inns of Court O.T.C. and R.F.A., who died March 1, 1922, at Idaho, U.S.A., from the effects of gas poisoning, in France, 1918, most dearly-loved and only son of H. V. and Maud Crawfurth Smith, Ailesbury Park, Merrion, County Dublin.

BIRTHS.

DREA—February 25, 1930, at St. Philomena's Private Nursing Home, Kilkenny, to Mr. and Mrs. Kieran G. Drea, 70 High street, Kilkenny, a son.

FALLON—February 28, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Fallon, Bonorta, Terenure, a son.

HUNT—February 17, 1930, at St. Philomena's Private Nursing Home, Kilkenny, to Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Hunt, Rockbrook House, Ballyfoyle, County Kilkenny, a son.

LONG—February 20, 1930, at 93 Lower Baggot street, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Long, Milton House, Swords, a daughter.

McCOURT—February 27, 1930, the wife of Norman L. McCourt (née Adelaide Robb), 2525 Morris Avenue, New York, a son.

MARRIAGE.

NAYLOR and ACHESON—January 27, 1930, at the Royal Chapel, Tower of London, by the Chaplain General (the Rev. A. C. E. Jarvis, C.M., D.D., Chaplain to H.M. the King), Alfred Thomas Arthur Naylor, Chaplain to the Guards' Depôt, Caterham, son of the Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Naylor, of Tunbridge Wells, to Muriel Emma Acheson (née Mosse), widow of the late Major C. D. Acheson.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 8.

BENNETT—February 28, 1930, at her residence, 24 Kenilworth road, Rathgar, Annie Allen Bennett, widow of the late Michael Bennett. Deeply regretted. Funeral strictly private. No flowers.

CURTOYS—February 27, 1930, at Monkstown Hospital, Hannah Curtoys (née Towers), widow. Funeral on Monday, 10 a.m., at Dean's Grange.

EDWARDS—February 27, 1930, at her sister's residence, 8 Spencer Villas, Glenageary, Grace Henrietta, widow of John Edwards, of Knockrobin, County Wicklow. Funeral private. No flowers.

GLENDENNING—February 27, 1930, Jane, widow of late W. Glendenning, M.G.W.R. Funeral to Kilmore Cemetery from Cavan Railway Station, after arrival of 8.50 a.m. ex Amiens street, to-day (Saturday), 1st March.

HAYES—February 27, 1930, at Drumcondra Hospital, Walter, dearly-beloved brother of Eyton J. Hayes. Funeral this morning, Mount Jerome.

HEATHER—February 28, 1930, at Adelaide Hospital, Dublin, Marion Evelyn, of Cork, widow of the late George A. Heather. Funeral arriving at Temple Hill, Blackrock, on Monday at 10 a.m.

HITCHCOCK—February 28, 1930, at her son's residence, 11 McMahon street, S.C. road, Maria Xavier Hitchcock, relict of the late Edward Hitchcock. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing children and a large circle of friends. R.I.P. Funeral (private), after 10 o'clock Mass, this (Saturday) morning from St. Kevin's R.C. Church, Harrington street.

LLOYD—February 27, 1930, at Croghan House, Boyle, John Merrick Lloyd, D.L. Funeral on Monday at 2 o'clock. No flowers.

McDONAGH—February 27, 1930, at her residence, Prospect House, Dunmore, County Galway, Bridget Mary, widow of James Daly McDonagh, J.P. Remains were removed to Parish Church yesterday (Friday) evening. High Mass at 11 o'clock this (Saturday) morning. Funeral immediately afterwards.

MUNTON—February 28, 1930, at South Brent, Devonshire, Agnes Sarah, third daughter of the late John Munton, Clontarf, Dublin.

POWELL—February 28, 1930, Caleb (Felix), dearly-loved son of the late William and Mrs. Powell. Deeply regretted. Funeral to-day (Saturday), Toomevara, 2 o'clock.

READE—February 28, 1930, at Church road, Nenagh, Theresa Amelia, dearly-beloved wife of the late Richard Bookey Reade. Funeral to-day (Saturday) at 3.30 p.m. to Kilruane.

SHEILS—February 27, 1930, at his residence, [illegible] Marlborough road (late 41), James Joseph, dearly-loved husband of Mary (Mollie) Sheils. Deeply and deservedly regretted by sorrowing wife and children. R.I.P. Requiem Mass at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Donnybrook, this (Saturday) morning at 9 o'clock. Funeral immediately afterwards to Glasnevin Cemetery. American, Belgian, and Scottish papers please copy.

SHELLY—February 28, 1930, Aidan Aloysius, aged 7 years, dearly-beloved and darling eldest child of William J. and Mrs. Shelly, 25 Adelaide road, Dublin. Deeply regretted by his heartbroken parents. R.I.P. Funeral this (Saturday) morning, 11 o'clock, to Mount Jerome.

SIM—February 23, 1930, at Church road, Blackrock, Cork, Martha, beloved wife of John Sim. Deeply regretted by husband and children.

God saw the road was getting rough,
The hills were hard to climb.
He closed her weary eyelids,
And whispered: "Peace be thine."

STRONG—February 28, 1930, at her residence, [illegible]ancolter, Mount Nugent, Alicia, widow of the late William Oliver Strong, aged 84 years. Funeral to-morrow (Sunday), March 2nd, leaving her residence at 2 o'clock for Mount Nugent. Australian and Canadian papers please copy.

TULLY—February 27, 1930, at Rathfarn, Loughrea, Hubert J. Tully. Funeral private. No flowers.

WALLACE—February 27, 1930, at Dublin, at an advanced age, Samuel Henry Wallace, late of Blessington. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing children. Funeral on Monday, 3rd March, arriving Blessington at 12 o'clock.

There is a love that never fails—
When earthly loves decay.

WARD—February 28, 1930, at Savile House, Torquay, Helen Mary Ward, widow of the late Admiral T. Le Hunte Ward, in her 85th year. Funeral Service at St. Matthias's Church, Torquay, 3 o'clock on Tuesday, 4th March. Interment Torquay Cemetery.

WILSON—February 19, 1930, at Southampton, Commander John Wilson, R.D., R.N.R., eldest son of the late John Wilson, F.R.I.B., Colvend, Kirkcudbrightshire, and Mrs. Wilson, Ballyneety, Ardfinnan, County Tipperary.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mr. and Mrs. **Flanagan**, Dunlo street, Ballinasloe, desire to sincerely thank all who sympathised with them in their recent great sorrow, and hope they will accept this in grateful acknowledgment, as it would be impossible to reply individually.

Major M. L. Lakin and **Lady Maurice FitzGerald** wish to express their grateful thanks for the kind messages of sympathy which they have received in their bereavement, and also for the beautiful flowers, all of which they hope to acknowledge personally later.

Mr. and Mrs. **H. Lorimer**, St. Ann's, Malahide, wish to return sincere thanks for all messages and letters of sympathy received on the occasion of their recent sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. **H. A. Reid**, 95 Botanic road, Glasnevin, desire to thank the many kind friends who sent letters and wreaths and also sympathised personally with them in their recent sad bereavement, trusting all will accept this in very grateful acknowledgment.

IN MEMORIAM.

BUNTING—March 1, Third Anniversary—In ever-loving memory of a devoted husband and father, G. W. Bunting. Inserted by his loving wife and family.

CUDDY—In ever-loving memory of my darling mother, who died at her residence, Tyrrellspass, [illegible] February, 1923. Inserted by Sara.

[illegible]EAGRET—In loving remembrance of our dear daughter, Lucy, who passed away March 2nd, 1922.

FLYNN—In loving memory of Elizabeth Flynn, called Home February, 1925. "I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life, no man cometh unto the Father but by Me." John xiv, 6.—F. Flynn and Eileen.

HENRY—In ever-loving memory of my beloved [illegible], who was called Home March 2nd, 1929.—[illegible] Murphy.

HOWARD—In ever-loving memory of my dear husband, Fred., who fell asleep at his residence, 10 [illegible]land terrace, Terenure, on the 29th February, 1920.

MALCOLMSON—In loving memory of Robert Malcolmson, of Mullinacross, Kingscourt, died 1st of March, 1928. Never forgotten.—Sister [illegible]

[illegible]ACKABERRY—In loving memory of my son, [illegible], who passed away February 29th, 1924, at [illegible]el Cottage, Ballycanew, Gorey. Never forgotten.

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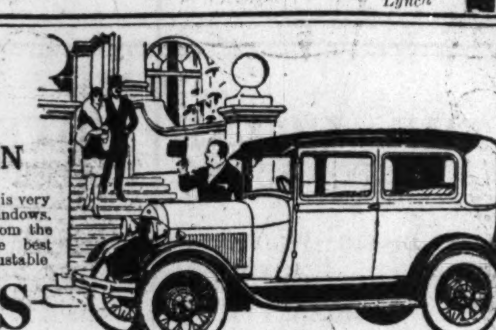

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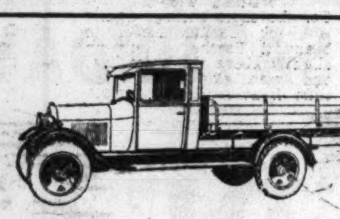

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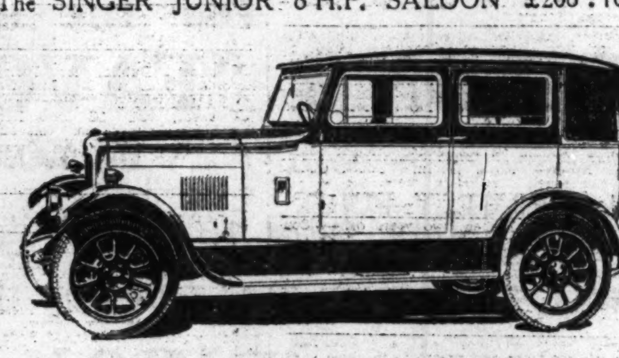

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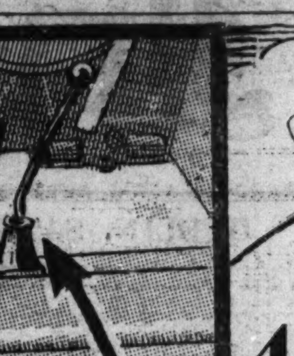

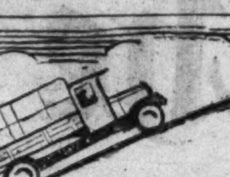

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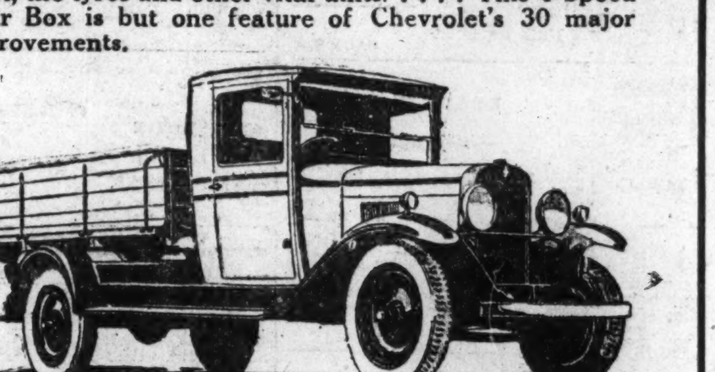

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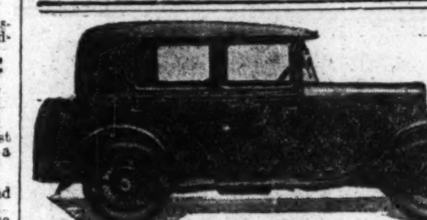

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YOUNG general trained Nurse Wanted for private hospital, Dublin, R.C.—G 702, this office.

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A MANAGERESS, General Assistants, etc., first class hotels (staff), Cook, £60 (club, suburbs); Second Cooks, young; Kitchen Porters, Page Boys; several Cooks, Housemaids, Waitresses, Betweenmaids Wanted, hotels, clubs, restaurants.—Matron, Irish Times Employment Registry.

CHEF Wanted, city, small hotel; state wages and references.—G 474, this office. 25 F

COOK Wanted, also Cook General, for hotel; copy reference.—G 648, this office. 27 F

EXPERIENCED Manageress required for first class Licensed Hotel in West of Ireland. Apply, stating age, experience, salary required and enclosing testimonials, G 718, this office. 28 A

THE Standard Hotel, Dublin, requires an experienced Girl for Service room. 26 F

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EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

FIRST class Head Chef (French) wishes situation, hotel, restaurant, Dublin or country; last reference over two years, first class hotel, Dublin.—G 587, this office. 26 A

LADY, 5 years' experience Bar, Books, etc., desires post; city or suburbs preferred.—G 499, this office. 25 F

SMART young Girl, train Waitress; good references; city, suburbs.—G 687, this office.

WANTED by Lady, post as Manageress Hotel; 10 years' experience; good references.—G 662, this office. 27 F

YOUNG Waitress wishes place, cafe or hotel; recommended.—G 677, this office.

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REPRESENTATIVES WANTED.

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AGENTS throughout Ireland and Salesmen Dublin City required for Sale of high grade Electric and Daylight Signs.—G 723, this office. 28 C

ENGLISH Port Flour Mill requires energetic Agent or Commission Agent, with previous experience, for Sale of Flour in Dublin and surrounding district; good references essential. Address "Z 3574, Agent," this office. 28 B

FRUIT (Green)—A leading Firm, shipping from British Ports, are about to appoint Agents in Irish ports and principal inland towns. Responsible applicants, who furnish full particulars, and show that they have experience and good trade connections, will be interviewed, and liberally treated if appointed.—G 590, this office. 26 A

REPRESENTATIVE, with good connection, required by Firm of Timber Merchants in Southern Ireland. Address, giving particulars, age, salary required, to "Z 3470, Representative," this office. 25 F

REPRESENTATIVE (outdoor) required by well known firm; duties principally interviewing professional and business people and better class parents. Applications from disengaged ladies and gentlemen of good education only considered. Splendid post for suitable candidate. Write, giving fullest particulars (in confidence), with references, to G 768, this office.

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AGENCIES AND SITUATIONS WANTED

IRISH Manufacturers' Agent, live connection, seeks additional Drapery Agencies.—G 632, this office. 27 B

LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

CONVEYANCER, Costs Drawer (all branches), Bookkeeper seeks engagement; excellent testimonials.—G 743, this office.

SHORTHAND Typist and Entry Clerk Wanted for country Solicitor's Office; R.C. State experience and salary to "Z 3448, Typist," this office. 25 F

WANTED, well educated, intelligent Youth for Solicitor, as Junior Clerk. Apply in own handwriting, with testimonials, G 603, this office. 27 A

YOUNG Solicitor, highly qualified, apprenticeship served in city, over two years' practical experience, good knowledge High Court, Circuit and District Court practice, open to engagement. Address "Z 3522, Solicitor," this office. 27 B

TUITIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

ALL Professional and University Prelims., Oral and Correspondence. Success lists free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Gardiner's Row, Dublin. T

ALL Professional and University Preliminaries, Pharmaceutical, Solicitors, Surgeons, Veterinary Preliminaries, University Entrances. Day, Evening and Correspondence Classes.—W. St. George Breakey, 9 Molesworth street, Dublin. 36 25

AUSTRIAN, perfect German, French, music, seeks post Visiting Governess; afternoons.—G 475, this office. 25 F

ADVANCED and Elementary French Conversational Classes, beginning 11th March.—Madame O'Connell, 107 Lower Baggot street.

CIVIL Service and Commercial Exams—Class and Private Tuition. Shorthand through medium of Irish; reasonable.—Civil Service College, 46 Upper Dorset street. 25 F

COACH (Lady, Protestant), visits, receives backward Pupils, all subjects.—95 Beechwood avenue, Ranelagh.

EXPERIENCED Nursery Governess, R.C., desires engagement; Kindergarten.—288, Irish Times Branch Office, Cork. 27

FRENCH, all grades; Conversation speciality; Diplomé Université, France.—G 671, this office.

LADY Graduate Coaches Mathematics, Latin, French; beginners rapidly advanced.—28 Neville road, Rathgar.

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PIANO and Violin Teacher (Teacher's Honours Certificates, etc.) has few vacancies for Pupils. Apply by letter. Gill's Studios, Nassau street. 27 B

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YOUNG Lady Student (Protestant) desires post in Secondary School as Resident Junior Mistress. Address "Z 3579, Mistress," this office. 27 A

YOUNG Lady would teach and take children out; afternoons preferred; recommended.—G 684, this office.

GOVERNESSES AND TUTORS WANTED.

AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No. 44985. T

GRIND Wanted for Youth, Bank Examination; Arithmetic, General Knowledge; hour weekly, Ballsbridge.—G 644, this office. 27 F

LADY Governess, reliable, for 4 children; fully qualified all subjects; for Galway. Address "Z 3513, Governess," this office. 27 B

WANTED, March, reliable, capable Nursery Governess, Housemaid; four children, three going to school; doctor's house, town. Address, with references, "Z 3595, Governess," this office. 28 A

WANTED Governess Help, about 28 years, R.C.; children 6 years and 3½ years; £30; experienced. Address "Z 3587, Governess," this office. 28 C

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

CLERK (Lady), 8 years' experience Motor Business, seeks responsible post in garage.—G 725, this office.

DRESSMAKER, thoroughly competent Cutter and Fitter, and capable charge of workroom; first class references.—287, Irish Times Branch Office, Cork. 27 A

EX-IRISH Guardsman, 37, single, seeks employment; excellent reference.—G 658, this office. 27 B

EXPERIENCED Girl desires post on Poultry Farm; understands incubators, artificial rearing, etc.; careful, conscientious; highly recommended. Address "Z 3523, Girl," this office. 27 F

HOUSEKEEPER, Protestant; suit gentleman; Dublin or near preferred; all duties; excellent references; interview. Address "Z 3492, Housekeeper," this office. 26 A

LAD, 17, seeks employment at anything.—G 655, this office. 27 B

LADY highly recommends Dressmaker; efficient and painstaking; would work at own or lady's house; children's frocks, hand-smocking, embroidery, speciality.—G 751, this office.

RESPECTABLE Protestant Widow wishes to Caretake Offices or other similar situation in Dublin; own furniture; well recommended. Address "Z 3504, Widow," this office. 26 A

REFINED young Girl, 18, not out before, well educated, desires position Office or Shop; would go as Waitress; small fee if required.—G 654, this office. 27 F

RETIRED Draper open for an engagement; highest testimonials; moderate salary. Interview. Apply G 704, this office. 28 A

SECRETARY Cashier—Experienced Man, proved ability, highest reference, open to engagement.—G 624, this office. 27 B

WELL educated Youth seeks position as Office Junior; some experience.—G 602, this office. 26 A

WIDOW, with healthy little girl, I.C., wishes post immediately, Housekeeper; good cook and nurse; highest recommendation. Address "Z 3590, Housekeeper," this office.

YOUNG Lady with first class experience of Costume and Gown Departments desires post as Buyer or Assistant Buyer; large clientele in both country and city; first class saleswoman; highest references.—G 650, this office. 27 F

YOUNG Girl, disengaged, would go as Lady's Companion; six years' nursing experience, and excellent testimonials.—G 738, this office.

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

FARM Hand (single) Wanted; one accustomed to horses and cattle and willing to milk; good wages with board to suitable man. Apply B. Caldwell, Drumshield House, Cootehill. 27 B

SINGLE Herd Yardman for Meath Wanted; live in bothy. Address "Z 3534, Man," this office.

WANTED, Woodranger and Keeper (Protestant), energetic man, with wife or sister for gate lodge; must be well recommended. Apply, with copies of papers only, to Box 15, care Parker, Advertising Agency, 43 Dawson street, Dublin. 25 F

WANTED, Valet Butler; 4 in family; satisfactory references absolutely necessary.—G 449, this office. 25 A

WANTED for country place, young unmarried Man for general indoor work and to help in garden; also General Man for ploughing, mowing and milking, young and unmarried; Protestants preferred.—8 Leeson Park, Dublin, 7 p.m. to-day.

WANTED, Cowman, take charge herd of sixty dairy cows. Apply Steward, Oak Park, Carlow. 28 A

WANTED for Co. Wicklow Light Weight Groom; good horseman; understand thoroughbred stock. Address "Z 3603, Groom," this office.

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

WANTED, Garden Boy, Protestant, to live in bothy, wages one pound per week. Address, giving references, "Z 3451, Boy," this office. 25 F

WANTED for Dublin suburbs, smart energetic young Gardener and wife (not over forty), no children, strict T.T.; must be highly recommended for honesty, understand flowers, fruit, vegetables; wife help generally; maid kept; apartments, light, coal and vegetables free, 30/- weekly; send copy references. Address "Z 3512, Gardener," this office. 27 A

WANTED, Working Gardener Steward; state wages, particulars, and send copies. Address "Z 3602, Gardener," this office.

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

GENTLEMAN strongly recommends good Man for milking and general farm work. Address "Z 3449, Gentleman," this office. 25 F

GAMEKEEPER, open to engagement; long practical experience in noblemen's estates in Ireland; highly recommended, present and previous employers. Apply Grogan, Longhlea, Carrickmacross. 25 F

HERD disengaged, long and satisfactory discharge; experienced with stock, good general worker. Address, stating terms, "Z 3521, Herd," this office. 27 B

YOUNG General Indoor Man; can drive car; long reference.—G 682, this office. 28 A

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED.

HEAD Gardener or Steward and Gardener; understands his business in all its branches; life experience; married, R.C.; disengaged; highly recommended. Address G. S., care of Messrs. Drummond and Sons, Dawson street. 28 O

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SCOTCH Land Steward seeks engagement; thoroughly experienced stock, tillage and estate management, hard worker, good organiser, T.T. and well recommended. Address "Z 3516, Land Steward," this office. 27 O

WORKING Gardener wants daily or weekly work; milk, help generally.—491, Wilde's Office, Bray. 27 F

YOUTH, 19, seeks situation as Plain Gardener; can milk, etc.; well recommended. Address "Z 3593, Youth," this office. 28 A

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ALL classes of Servants Wanted with good references from gentry.—Miss Woods, 37 Dawson street, Dublin. Established over 100 years.

GENERAL Help (Protestant) required, Meath; good cook; wages £24. Address "Z 3545, Help," this office. 27 B

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PROTESTANT, middle aged Working Housekeeper Wanted for single rector in the North of Ireland; must be good plain cook and well recommended; good wages. Address "Z 3594, Housekeeper," this office.

WANTED, capable Maid, age 20; good reference required; good home. Apply by letter, Mrs. Hutchinson, 48 Wiltshire road, Brixton, London, S.W. 9.

WANTED, young country Girl for housework, help with children.—345, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

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COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED

AN active, experienced good Cook General Wanted for Ballsbridge, three in family; must be well recommended.—944, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

COOK General; must have good experience; house parlourmaid kept; five in family; near Dublin.—G 716, this office.

EXCELLENT Singlehanded Cook Wanted; house parlourmaid and odd man kept. Apply Mrs. Barton, Johnstown, Kill, Co. Kildare. 28 C

GOOD Cook Wanted; Protestant preferred; kitchenmaid kept. Apply, with references, Lady Farnham, Farnham, Cavan. 27 F

GOOD Cook Wanted for near Edinburgh; three servants; family two; wages £40 to £45; aged under 30. Also a thorough Parlourmaid; wages £36-£40. Send references to Mrs. B., Ladies' Army and Navy Club, London.

REQUIRED immediately, a Cook and a Maid. Apply, stating experience and wages expected, to Superintendent, Agricultural School, Athenry, County Galway. 26 X

WANTED for Park avenue, Cook General, R.C.; must be well recommended; wages £30; country girl preferred.—G 444, this office. 25 F

WANTED, Cook General and House Parlourmaid, Killiney; country girls preferred; £30 and £26; partly trained might suit.—G 471, this office. 25 F

WANTED, Cook General and House Parlourmaid, Protestant.—Mrs. Lucas, Dorset House, Cheltenham. 27 B

WANTED, Cook willing to go General, family two, no washing; good wages; non basement.—Winnett's, Dalkey. 27 F

WANTED for business house, in Midlands, thoroughly capable Cook Housekeeper (Protestant); state salary. Address "Z 3557, Cook," this office.

WANTED, superior Cook General for Co. Limerick; good wages; send copies of references, state wages. Address "Z 3569, Cook General," this office.

WANTED, good Singlehanded Cook, Merrion square. Apply G 779, this office.

WANTED, young Girl, Protestant, to train as Cook General, or one partly trained might suit; nice home, Pembroke district.—G 722, this office. 28 C

YOUNG Cook General, R.C., Wanted; must be good plain cook, early riser; good references essential. Apply, copies, Mrs. Robinson, Phepotstown, Kilcock.

GENERALS WANTED

CAN lady recommend General, two adults; plain cooking, small wash?—G 757, this office. 28 A

DAILY General Wanted; good plain cook; half day Saturday.—R O 810, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 27 F

EXPERIENCED General Servant Wanted; no washing. Apply 11 Temple Villas, Palmerston road. 26 A

EXPERIENCED young General required. Apply Monday, before one o'clock, Mrs. Martin, E..., Sandford road; Clonskea tramcar. 28 A

GENERAL Wanted immediately, plain cooking small family. Apply before 2 o'clock, 102 St. Lawrence road, Clontarf. 28 A

GENERAL Wanted immediately; good plain cooking, small laundry. Bring papers, 58 Marlborough road, Donnybrook.

GENERAL Wanted, modern house, two persons; no children.—6 Mount Eden road, Donnybrook.

GENERAL, country girl, some experience, two in family.—Mrs. Gillman, Rectory, Lucan, Co. Dublin. 28 O

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SUPERIOR General; must cook well; family two; no washing; non basement; wages £36.—Winnett's, Dalkey. 27 F

WANTED, quiet country place, Meath, clean, capable General; good cook and laundress; also tidy, willing Girl, about sixteen, to train; Protestants preferred.—G 404, this office. 25 F

WANTED, superior Protestant General, with knowledge of cooking, for gentleman's country house; house and parlourmaid kept. Address "Z 3458, General," this office. 25 F

WANTED, good steady General, all household duties; fond of children; must have good references; good wages to capable girl.—G 646, this office. 27 F

WANTED, General Servant for Ballsbridge district. Apply, with copies references, G 664, this office. 27 B

WANTED at 2 Hatch street, a thoroughly good General.

WANTED, capable General for suburbs; country girl preferred; state particulars.—G 695, this office.

WANTED, General, some experience.—21 N.C. road. 28 O

WANTED, good General, farm house, near Greystones; plain cooking, washing; no outside work; wages £18; send copies. Address "Z 3558, General," this office. 28 C

WANTED, General, immediately, reliable, settled person; well recommended; four in family.—23 Greenmount road, Terenure.

WANTED, beginning of April, for Terenure, superior General; well recommended; must be good cook; small washing; two in family. Apply, copies references, R O 814, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 28 A

WANTED, for chemist, smart young country Girl to train as General; full particulars and wages expected.—Mrs. Williamson, 167 Cromac street, Belfast.

WANTED, Sutton, middle March, superior intelligent General, age 25-30, help with little girl required; enclose copies.—G 721, this office.

YOUNG General required, good knowledge of cooking.—49 Lower Leeson street.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED

CAN any Lady recommend a Head Housemaid, who thoroughly understands her work, and can take charge of the house in the absence of the family? Replies, stating age and wages, to Hon. Lady McCalmont, Moorfield, Newbridge. 25 F

CAN lady recommend young country Girl (18) train House Parlourmaid?—G 775, this office.

EXPERIENCED Parlourmaid required middle March; good references.—Mrs. Smyth, Headborough, Tallow, Co. Waterford. 25 F

FAIR, tall Girl Wanted as Housemaid or House Parlourmaid, experienced, London and Wimbledon; discharges.—J. L., 17 Beaufort Gardens, London, S.W.3. 28 C

REQUIRED, experienced Singlehanded Housemaid, small house, country; wages £40 to £45.—Mrs. Hall, Kellistown, Carlow. 27 B

WANTED, young country Girl, to train as Housemaid; some experience; good references essential.—G 416, this office. 25 F

WANTED, House Parlourmaid; comfortable and easy situation.—Mrs. Mitchell Henry, Bunnabohee, Letterfrack, Co. Galway. 27 B

WANTED immediately, Ailesbury road, young House Parlourmaid. Interview.—G 715, this office.

NURSES WANTED

AGENT for NURSES, MAIDS and ATTENDANTS.—Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Interviews daily. Tel. No. 44983. T

EXPERIENCED Protestant Nurse Wanted for child 4½ years and to help with infant. Apply 19 Cowper Gardens. 28 O

NURSE Wanted, complete charge two children, fifteen months and two months; no washing; good needlewoman; must have good references; full particulars, age, wages. Address "Z 3601, Nurse," this office. 28 A

REFINED, agreeable Girl Wanted as Nurse Housemaid, 3 children, suburbs.—G 696, this office.

WANTED, trained, reliable Nurse, R.C., to take care of baby and boy of three; must be experienced and well recommended; state age and salary expected.—G 740, this office. 28 C

WANTED, an experienced Woman to take entire charge of infant.—Mrs. Maurice Walsh, 4 St. Michael's, Sarsfield road, Inchicore. 28 A

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY ETC., WANTED.

LAUNDRESS Wanted for Cottage Laundry; suit mother and daughter; state age and religion. Apply Mrs. Forde, Seaforde, Co. Down.

DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

A POSITION desired, gentlewoman's house, experienced Attendant, needlewoman, useful, soon disengaged; excellent references.—G 675, this office. 27 B

LADY recommends young country Girl, to train Between or Housemaid; some experience.—K. Duffy, Glendalough, Co. Wicklow. 26 A

WORKING Housekeeper, business house; country girl, excellent long references.—G 614, this office. 27 F

YOUNG Woman, understands all household duties, good cook, etc., seeks odd days' work, vicinity Dalkey or Kingstown. Apply R. M., c/o Mrs. E. Reilly, Dalkey Hill.

YOUNG Woman wants morning or evening work; can be recommended.—M. Byrne, 31 Hogan's place. 23 O

EDUCATED young Girl, go as Ballmaid, doctor or dentist, afternoons.—G 683, this office.

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COOK Housekeeper, middle aged, small family; prefers good home to high wages.—G 694, this office. 28 A

COOK General wishes place; long reference; £30; suburbs. Address "Z 3565, Cook General," this office. 28 C

GENERALS DISENGAGED.

A GENERAL, experienced, young, country girl, well recommended.—G 678, this office.

COUNTRY Girl, 18, seeks engagement as General; not out before; can do housework; good references.—P., care Mr. Morgan, Mountmellick.

GENERAL, experienced, wants situation, Co. Dublin; age 24; Protestant; highly recommended; state wages.—Wilcox, Cullentragh, Rathdrum, Co. Wicklow.

RESPECTABLE Girl, with experience, seeks situation as General, in or near Blackrock; can be well recommended; state wages, etc.—G 605, this office. 27 B

RESPECTABLE country Girl wishes situation General or Housemaid, willing to be trained.—943, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

SETTLED General wishes place, or Cook General; well recommended.—G 691, this office.

YOUNG Girl wishes to train as General, South suburbs. Address "Z 3529, Girl," this office. 27 F

YOUNG Girl (19) wishes to train as General.—G 693, this office.

YOUNG General wishes place, city or suburbs; £24.—G 692, this office.

YOUNG Daily General wishes place, South side, 8/- weekly.—G 679, this office.

GOOD General, £26; Rathmines, Rathgar; very good references.—G 699, this office.

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EXCELLENT, young single House or Parlourmaid disengaged; well recommended; Kildare or North County Dublin preferred.—G 612, this office. 27 F

EXPERIENCED Housemaid, disengaged when suited; would go Housekeeper; Dublin preferred.—Registry, 16 Fussy road, Naas. 27 F

HOUSEMAID, Protestant, settled, or go House Parlourmaid, small place; highly recommended. Address "Z 3469, Maid," this office. 25 F

PARLOURMAID, or good House Parlourmaid; thoroughly experienced; good papers; good wages; suburbs or country.—945, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 28 A

YOUNG House Parlourmaid wishes place, city, suburbs; £36.—G 690, this office.

YOUNG House Parlourmaid wishes place, city, suburbs; £24-£26. Address "Z 3563, House Parlourmaid," this office.

YOUNG House Sewingmaid desires place, city, suburbs. Address "Z 3564, Housemaid," this office.

YOUNG country Girl, train Housemaid; city, suburbs; Protestant. Address "Z 3567, Maid," this office. 28 A

NURSES DISENGAGED.

CARE of Child, about 3, or invalid Lady; very highly recommended.—G 713, this office.

DISENGAGED, Trained Infant's Nurse (widow), 15 years' experience, baby from month; will travel.—G 776, this office.

EXPERIENCED young Children's Nurse; £36; Dublin or near.—G 688, this office.

LADY can highly recommend trained Infant's Nurse, having no further use for same; strictly conscientious, reliable and kind; age 30; no objection country or suburbs; wages £60.—Nurse, c/o Mrs. Monaghan, 6 Sullivan's quay, Cork.

SUPERIOR Children's Maid, Protestant, experienced; Dublin, near; highly recommended. Address "Z 3491, Maid," this office. 26 A

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., DISENGAGED

LADY recommends steady Girl as Kitchenmaid under good cook; wages £18. Address "Z 3585, Kitchenmaid," this office.

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White Horse Whiskey, Booth's Gins, Pol Roger and Gold-Lack Champagnes, Martini Rossi and Noilly Prat Vermouths, Courvoisier Brandies, Warnink's Advocaat. Prices from N. McLoone and Co., Eustace street, Dublin; Linenhall street, Derry. 20 20

A GOLD Watch can be obtained at Benson's on monthly payments. Send for illustrated list and full particulars.—51 Mary street, Dublin. X

CART Covers, Rick Covers, Motor Lorry Covers, Tarpaulins, Tents, Marquees and Sacks.—Petrie Brothers, Waterproofers, 36 Usher's quay. Price list on application. T

CART Covers, Motor Lorry, Van and Thresher Covers, Sacks, Rick Covers, on best terms.—Coleman's, 25 Chancery street (behind Four Courts). T

CASTINGS in Brass, etc. Brass Work of every description, Polishing, Lacquering, Oxidising, and Plating Door and Gate Name Plates; enquiries invited.—James Fox and Co., Wellington quay, Dublin. 8 1

ELECTROLUX Vacuum Cleaning Machine, splendid condition, in case; bargain, 6 guineas.—G 568, this office. 26 A

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THE RUSSIAN CHURCH.

ITS BIRTH AND GROWTH.

AUTHOR OF THE ALPHABET.

(By CANON CHAMBERLAIN, B.D.)

THE present hostile attitude of the Soviet Government to religion, and particularly to the Christian religion, has focused the attention of Christendom upon the Russian Church. Whatever may be the exact truth as to particular acts of persecution of which accounts reach us, there can be no doubt that the extirpation of the Orthodox Church is a main plank in the general policy of the rulers of Russia. Out of their own mouth they may be judged and their speech bewrayeth them. Mazzini's revolutionary doctrine of a free Church in a free State is alien from their mentality and finds no place on their extensive programme. The very existence of the Church they regard with nervous apprehension as a menace to the foundations of the new State which they have erected. Those whose ideal is a Godless world must needs set about crushing the Church which proclaims God.

So intimately has the Russian Church been intertwined with the *ancien régime* of the Czars, and so close has been the association of Church and State in Russia, that the history of one is the history of the other. Both have moved in an orbit outside the main stream of European history. Political and religious movements which have shaken the nations and Churches have, until now, had almost no reactions across the Russian frontier. This fact gives a peculiar interest to the history of the Russian Church, and explains the general ignorance of its story and its character.

THE BEGINNINGS.

Christianity reached Ireland in the fifth century. It was not until the tenth century that it made effective entrance into the southern part of what we now call Russia. Vladimir, the leading prince of the Slavonic tribes inhabiting southern Russia, became dissatisfied with his ancestral paganism and assembled representatives of various religions—Mahometans, Jews, and both Latin and Greek Christians. He listened to what they had to say in urging their respective claims to his allegiance. Their arguments left him so bewildered that he resolved to send a deputation of his nobles to Constantinople to see for themselves and to report. The Byzantine Emperor, anxious to win over so powerful and dangerous a neighbour, astutely set himself to impress the minds of the barbarian visitors. They were brought into the stately Church of St. Sophia, then at the height of its splendour. The Liturgy was sung by the Patriarch in a setting of unsurpassed magnificence.

The beauty of Christian worship had its effect. The envoys were entranced. Vladimir received their emphatic verdict: "No man who has once tasted what is sweet will afterwards take what is bitter; and, as for us, we can no longer abide in heathenism." Thus the die was cast, and Vladimir received Christian baptism from the Byzantine Bishop of Cherson. Returning to his capital, Kieff, he flung the national idol into the Dneiper, and in its waters, which had drowned their god, he caused all his people to be baptised in droves. Thus he opened the door, not only for Greek Christianity, but also for all those civilising influences which now could spread from the capital of the Eastern Empire. Gradually the little independent States were Christianised by the zeal of the Greek monks, and, as they were gradually united in one Church, they became politically united. As yet there was no independent Russian Church—it was but a Province of the Greek Church. The Metropolitan See was Kieff, and for more than two centuries the Metropolitan was almost invariably a Greek.

MOSCOW.

The force which ultimately welded together the confederation of tribes into the Russian people, and bound Church to State by bonds which only the Soviet Government could break, was the Tartar domination. For almost two and a half centuries Russia was in the grip of the Tartars, whose incursions began in the year 1224. Twice was the metropolitan city of Keiff laid waste, and the Metropolitan himself moved north and settled in Moscow, whose Grand Prince was gradually assuming the leadership of the Russian people. Moscow became the political and ecclesiastical centre, around which the people rallied against the Tartar rulers. In the year 1462 the Czardom was founded by Ivan the Great, and in eighteen years the domination of the Tartars was ended.

The Church which had been the support of the people in their oppression was now firmly established in the affection and in the constitution of the country. Moscow superseded Kieff as the political and ecclesiastical capital. Side by side within the walls of the Kremlin, the Czar and the Metropolitan ruled over the temporal and spiritual affairs of the people whom they had saved from foreign rule. It was at this period that the Russian Church lost her dependence upon the mother Church of Constantinople, to whose Patriarch the Metropolitan had hitherto been subject. The capture of Constantinople by the Turks in 1453 had left the mother Church but a shadow. In 1589 the Metropolitan of Moscow became Patriarch of the Russian Church—the independent Church of a free people.

THE POLES.

The early years of the seventeenth century saw Russia once again in the grip of a foreign invader. The Polish invasion left the country desolated and leaderless. Moscow itself was in the hands of the enemy. Once again the Church took the lead in bracing the national spirit. A few miles outside Moscow is the celebrated Troitsa monastery. For over a year the conquering Poles laid siege to this famous monastery. Both Czar and Patriarch were dead and there was no individual to give a lead to the people. In this crisis the monastery assumed the *rôle* of leader and issued letters calling the people to drive out the invader. The appeal was answered, and the invading Poles were driven out. A national assembly met and elected Michael Romanoff as Czar—the first of that imperial house which since 1613 has sat on the throne of Russia. His father, Philaret, a bishop, was appointed Patriarch, and we have the curious spectacle of father and son ruling respectively in Church and State.

DISSENT.

The middle of the seventeenth century brought a serious internal crisis, which resulted in the rise of dissent in the hitherto united Church. The movement contrasts curiously with dissenting movements in other European countries, where they had come about because the sectaries considered the Church to be too conservative. In Russia, on the contrary, dissent arose because the Church was not considered conservative enough. It arose in this way. The Service books of the Church had been translated into Slavonic by St. Cyril for the use of the Bulgarian Church a hundred years before Vladimir had become a Christian. Slavonic was not then a written language, and Cyril was obliged to invent an alphabet—the strange Cyrillic letters which are still used in Russia. To the Church Russia owes her very alphabet.

In the middle of the seventeenth century the progressive and masterful Patriarch, Nikon, set himself to correct translators' mistakes in this ancient version. Such an act of sacrilege, as it was considered, aroused violent opposition; and when to this innovation was added an edict that the sign of the Cross should be made with three fingers instead of with the traditional two, a serious split took place in the Church. The conservative "old believers" formed a separate sect, which continues to our time to be called the Raskolniks—The Separated. Before the recent revolution it is estimated that there were from ten to twenty millions of these ultra-conservative Raskolniks in Russia—a small minority compared with the hundred million members of the National Orthodox Church.

THE HOLY SYNOD.

The constitution of the Russian Church, as it was at the time of the revolution, dates from the reign of Peter the Great. When, in the year 1700, the Patriarch of Moscow died, Peter determined to abolish the Patriarchate. His general policy was to westernise Russia and to bring it more into the European system. Moscow, as the centre of the old Russian life, was reduced in status in favour of his new capital of Petersburg—the "window upon the West." Peter forbade the election of a new Patriarch, and following the model of the Lutheran consistories, established the supreme government of the Church in the Holy Synod, a body consisting of the Metropolitans of Kieff, Moscow and Petersburg, the Exarch of Georgia, and a number of bishops nominated by the Czar. The President—the *Oberprokuror*—was a lay State official nominated by the Czar. By this ingenious system the Church was held securely in fetters by the State, and became entirely subservient to State policy.

That the Church was thus absolutely in the pocket of the State was certainly a bad thing in the long run for both. It served to confuse Christianity with Czardom and to envelop the Church in the downfall of the State, which used it as a tool. In the past the Church was the great unifying and civilising force in Russia. Her roots are very deep down in Russian life. As the inevitable evils of militant atheism appear, we have no doubt that once again the people will rally round her. All Christendom is about to kneel in prayer before her broken altar in a union of heart and sentiment unfelt since, in the days of the Crusades, the Churches of the West rushed to the assistance of their eastern brethren against the onslaught of the infidel.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY.

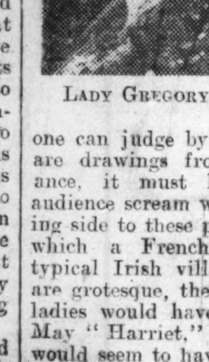
The Month of Fasting : Summer Shoes : "Wuthering Heights" : Exorcism. A Famous Hotel : "Hyacinth Halvey" : Birth Certificates. Famous American Collector.

Exorcism.

It was in the neighbourhood of a salmon stream, and the sallies ran down to the river's edge. There was no doubt but that poaching was going on, but it was impossible to get satisfaction from the men on the estate. No one seemed inclined to risk conclusions with the depredators. At last it leaked out that the spinney was haunted. A ghost had been seen flitting about between the trees. One of the family decided to take a hand and lay the ghost. That night, in spite of the timid protests of the women and a certain half-heartedness among the men, a hip flask in his pocket, he set out. When he came upon him the white-shrouded figure was bending over some nets. The wind moaned eerily in the branches and the sound of the running water had a note of menace. Undaunted, the exorcist pursued his mission. "Hi! Ghost," he cried, "what about a spot of whiskey?" "Begob," said the napping ghost, "I don't mind if I do."

"Hyacinth Halvey" in French.

In the January issue of the popular French periodical, *Lectures Pour Tous*, there was published the text and illustrations of the translated version of Lady Gregory's popular little Abbey Theatre play, "Hyacinth Halvey." How Hyacinth was burdened with the "character" given him in writing by his many friends, and by those who were glad to be rid of him, has made thousands of people laugh since the play was first staged at the Abbey Theatre twenty-four years ago.



LADY GREGORY.

In its French dress the play is given the title, "The Village Saint," and, if one can judge by the illustrations, which are drawings from the actual performance, it must have made the French audience scream with delight. An interesting side to these pictures is the conception which a French "producer" had of typical Irish village folk. The costumes are grotesque, the hat worn by one of the ladies would have done credit to a Phil May "Harriet," and Hyacinth's costume would seem to have been designed by Will Owen for one of W. W. Jacobs's bargees.

Another interesting feature is that Hyacinth's village is now so very up-to-date that the overhead cables from Ardnacrusha have reached him on the French stage. In the background of the "set" is what appears to be a large factory, and crossing the village street are three cables carrying the current from the Shannon.

"Wuthering Heights."

An important event in the coming spring book-publishing season will be the issue of an edition of Emily Bronte's "Wuthering Heights" in the form in which it was penned by the author.

It is, perhaps, not generally known that since the time when the novel was first issued in 1847, after being rejected by many publishers, the edition in general use has been one which was severely revised by Charlotte Brontë two years after Emily's death in 1848.

Charlotte made many drastic alterations. The extreme dialect of the Yorkshire moors was "watered down," and the rough phraseology was made to conform with the "refinement" of the age. The worst error, if errors such altertions are, was the act of Charlotte, who was of a somewhat prudish nature, in making violent changes in passages of the book which seemed too "strong" and since that time it is this "bowdlerised" edition which has been on sale.

The Irish Influence.

Latterly there has been a movement to have the story printed in the original version, and the Oxford University Press will shortly issue the book in that form.

The book will be of special interest to Ireland for more than one reason. Because of their hereditary association with Ireland, the works of the famous trinity of sisters is always of interest here.

"Wuthering Heights," however, in particular among the Brontë books, has an unusual significance in Ireland, because of the supposed influence on the mind of Emily Brontë, according to Dr. Wright, of the many Irish stories she had read in her girlhood.

The novel, the solitary prose work of Emily, will, in this edition, be prefaced by a critical commentary by Professor Garrod, recently Professor of Poetry at Oxford University.

A Rare Coin.

Yesterday a bank cashier showed me a rare coin which had been handed to him by a country farmer. It was a Bank of Ireland Token, issued in 1804, and its value was six shillings. It bore the head of George the Third. The farmer was delighted to receive two horses and a bullock for this coin, which he had previously regarded as "a quare ould coin."

A Famous Hotel.

The famous Hotel Pellegrino at Bologna, I see, is to be pulled down in a great road-widening scheme. It dates from the sixteenth century, and is one of the most remarkable buildings of its kind, a real piece of old Italy, and its antiquity attracted many distinguished visitors.

The late Lord Fisher, who was nothing if not blunt, cared little for its historical associations, and, if he were alive, would scarcely regret its passing. On one occasion he and his mother, at the latter's desire, put up at the Hotel Pellegrino, and Fisher described his experiences in characteristically brezzy style.

"We are here," he wrote home from it, "in the most awful hole I ever was in. Mother insisted on coming to this hotel because Charles V. was born here"—an error for which the lady may have been responsible—"or lived here six hundred years ago (I should have thought it much older by the smells), and the wine we had at dinner reminded me of old Vavasseur's. I objected, and the proprietor explained it had been several hundred years in bottle. In fact, the whole place : Rip Van Winkle, and nothing will induce me ever to give in again to mother's craze for ancient history. (Thank goodness we are going to a hotel at Naples that has only just been built.)"

Fisher must have been something of a puzzle to the Italians as they were to him. On another occasion he could not understand why they did not bring him cheese when he called out "chiesa." If they had brought him what he asked for, his language, I am afraid, would not have been ecclesiastical.

Famous American Collector.

The action of the Royal Institution authorities in selling "The Dorchester Papers," which have been described as the "greatest collection of American documents in existence," has been severely criticised by Lord Sydenham, at one time on special duty in America and a member of the War Office Reconstitution Committee of 1904, who is of the opinion that the proper place for such manuscripts is in the Record Office or in the British Museum, and that their secret sale was a great pity. The Dorchester papers, which comprise over 20,000 manuscripts relating to the American War of Independence, and which include letters written by George Washington to English officers, have been sold for a very high sum to Dr. A. S. W. Rosenbach, one of America's most famous collectors. The papers were presented to the Royal Institution 126 years ago by Mr. John Symmons. Dr. Rosenbach refuses to disclose the figure he has paid for them, but says it is the most important transaction in his career. It will be remembered that last year it was Dr. Rosenbach who paid no less than £15,000 for "Alice in Wonderland" and £7,500 for five pages of Dickens's "Pickwick Papers." He also paid huge sums for famous first editions and letters at the Jerome Kern sale in New York. On that occasion he purchased an autographed manuscript of Pope's "Essay on Man," on forty pages of quarto notebook, for almost £6,000. Another bid of his which was accepted was £4,000 for a letter from Edgar Allan Poe, of which the recipient was unnamed, quoting Mrs. Browning's opinion of "The Raven" and referring to "The Stylus." He paid £2,500 for a first edition of Laurence Sterne's "Tristram Shandy," and nearly £1,000 for a letter written by Robert Louis Stevenson when he was writing "Treasure Island."

Why the Difference?

Why should there be such a difference between the cost of a birth certificate in the Free State and in Northern Ireland? In the latter place the ordinary fee is 3s. 7d. (if 1s. charged for search), and, knowing this, an Enniskillen gentleman sent recently to Dublin for the birth certificate of his son, and was requested to send a further 1s. 4d., making a total cost of 5s. 1d. The bill showed that the search cost 2s. 6d., or 1s. 6d. more than in Northern Ireland. As this certificate was required for a boy applying for a secondary school scholarship, the fee charged in Northern Ireland for such a purpose would be only 6d.

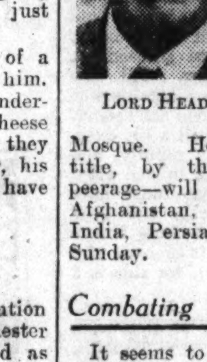
Shaving Swine.

I am told that there is now such a demand from English manufacturers of toilet brushes for pig bristles that many farmers are finding it profitable to shave their pigs with safety razors. This shaving operation has, of course, the effect of making the swine look much smarter before the new crop of bristles begins to bristle again.

In former years the pigs were only subjected to the shaving process during the post-mortem proceedings. Now, however, a pig may provide several batches of bristle before he is finally converted into pork. This hair raising development reminds me of the Chicago meat merchants, who are alleged to use everything connected with the pig except his squeal.

The Month of Fasting.

When the Mohammedan feast of *Ramadzan* ends to-morrow evening, Lord Headley, who is the President of the British Muslim Society, will have been fasting for thirty days. This does not mean that the only British Muslim peer has had nothing to eat during the month of February; for the Prophet, when he imposed the observation of the fast, which occupies the whole of the ninth month in the Mohammedan year, benevolently decreed that believers need only abstain from sunrise to sunset on each day.



LORD HEADLEY.

Hence, *Ramadzan* is both a feast and a fast, and, as soon as darkness falls, all adherents of the faith of Islam take liberal advantage of the permission to satisfy their necessary wants.

The ceremonies connected with the breaking of the fast—identical throughout the world—will in England, take place at Woking Mosque. Here Lord Headley—whose title, by the way, is in the Irish peerage—will receive representatives from Afghanistan, Irak, Turkey, Morocco, India, Persia, Palestine and Egypt on Sunday.

Combating Coast Erosion.

It seems to be generally forgotten that Lord Headley did much fine work in foreshore protection along the Irish coast, and that, as a parliamentary candidate, he contested the South Kerry Division in 1891. From that year onwards until 1906, when he was appointed engineer to the Arklow Harbour Commissioners, he was continually employed as a civil engineer in preventing sea-coast erosion and in erecting remedial works; on two occasions he was awarded the Silver Medal of the Institution of Civil Engineers in Ireland. His publications include a volume on the Youghal Foreshore Protection Works.

Known amongst his co-religionists as Al Haj-el-Farooq, Lord Headley made the Pilgrimage to Mecca in 1923, and is therefore entitled to wear the green turban and to be addressed by the style of *Hajji*. A Companion of the Order of the Nahda of Arabia, an honour conferred upon him by King Hussein, he celebrated his seventy-fifth birthday a week before the commencement of *Ramadzan*, which, by the way, commences always eleven days earlier than in the preceding year. As Mohammedans reckon by lunar time, the fast occurs successively in all seasons, and only once in every thirty-three years does it take place at the same period of the Christian year.

Shoes for the Summer.

I have just been let into a secret. It concerns the sort of shoes that the women are going to wear in the spring and in summer. The spring shoes are taking a leaf out of the book of men's footwear. They resemble the outward appearance of carpet slippers, only on the surface, however; for, though the material is of tweed to match my lady's spring skirts, the shape is very dainty, and far away from the ugly but comfortable gear to which I have compared them. I was shown some pairs of shoes that will be worn in the summer, made of straw, with flower and butterfly designs upon the yellow. There was a pair in rose-coloured straw, too, and one in pale blue. This use of straw is not new. I can remember in Edwardian days that many men at the seaside affected straw shoes, kept in shape by leather pieces at the most vulnerable points. The trouble is that a little use and a little damp very soon mar the outline, and it will require a number of pairs if Miss 1930 is always to appear with her feet in dainty casings.

QUIDNUNC.

ROUND THE SALEROOMS

THE BARNET LEWIS COLLECTION.

OLD SILVER RISES : FRENCH FURNITURE SLUMPS.

The sale of the Barnet Lewis collection, which began on Tuesday last with the old silver, was remarkable for the slump in old French furniture. A suite of Louis XV. furniture, covered with Beauvais tapestry, which realised 3,100 guineas in 1898, sold for 810 guineas, and a Regence commode, which brought £540 in the same year, was valued on Wednesday at £95. As a set-off to the fall in French furniture, two Italian pieces showed considerable enhancement. A sixteenth century cassone, elaborately carved, which cost 210 guineas in 1902, sold for 1,140 guineas, and a sixteenth century walnut-wood table, with finely carved scroll supports, was purchased at 1,150 guineas.

The old silver, which reached a total of £13,391, showed general improvement; in some instances the increase was very marked. A Commonwealth posset-pot, which brought £214 in 1905, more than trebled in value at £675, the price paid per oz. for this piece—880s.—being the top figure of the day; 800s. an oz. was paid for a Charles II. wine cup, and a plain goblet of the same reign sold at 480s. an oz. Four Queen Anne table-candlesticks, by David King, Dublin, 1702, were the outstanding lot in a large collection of candlesticks, and a photograph of these appeared in the *Irish Times* of last Wednesday.

The pictures and drawings, which were sold yesterday and will also occupy Monday next, will be dealt with in detail in next Saturday's issue.

FURNITURE.

Messrs. Christie, Manson, and Woods, 8 King street, St. James's square, London.

BARNET LEWIS COLLECTION.	£
Louis XVI. Clock on white marble pedestal, surmounted by ormolu group of Venus and Cupid, after Falconet, 14½ inches high	189
Louis XVI. Clock, movement by Filon, white marble plinth, surmounted by figures of Venus and two Cupids, after Falconet...	158
Louis XV. Oblong Marqueterie Table top of Scroll outline, 28 inches wide	315
Louis XVI. small Upright Marqueterie Secretaire, front inlaid with musical instruments and bouquet of flowers, stamped R.V.L.C. (La Croix), ME., 47 inches high, 21½ inches wide	861
Louis XV. small Pedestal Table, stamped N. Petit, ME., 12½ inches wide	378
Louis XV. small Pedestal Table, stamped De Lorme, 11½ inches wide	399
Pair of Louis XVI. small Settees of gilt-wood, carved with beading, covered with Aubusson tapestry, 31 inches wide	326
Louis XV. Commode, inlaid with panels of cube and annular ornament in tulip and kingwood, chased ormolu frieze and mounts, stamped J. F. Oeben, 57 inches wide, and pair of Encoignures en suite, 31 inches wide	972
Suite of Louis XVI. Furniture, frames of carved gilt-wood, covered with Beauvais tapestry, consisting of a pair of Settees and six Fauteuils	850
Italian Walnut Table, the scroll end supports carved with medallions of Nymphs and Cupids, and resting on dolphin feet, 56 inches long, 16th century	1197
Italian Cassone of Walnut wood, front carved in high relief, with two Cupids supporting a shield flanked on either side by scenes from Roman history, 77 inches long, 16th century	1470

OBJECTS OF ART.

Messrs. Christie.

BARNET LEWIS COLLECTION.	
Pair of Chinese Jade Beakers of dark green shade, carved with palm leaves, 10½ inches high	242
Chinese Jade Koro and Cover of dark green jade, carved with bands of fluting and scroll work dragon's head and loose ring handles, 7½ inches high, 6½ inches diameter	325
Chinese Jade Bowl of greenish-white jade, carved in low relief, with figures of Buddha, 9 inches diameter	158
Pair of Chinese Jade Bowls, of mottled green jade, 7½ inches diameter	173
Indian Jade Bowl, of light green jade, carved with flowers and foliage, scroll handles, 6½ inches diameter	105
"Flora," a white marble Statuette, by Claude Michel (signed Clodion), 18½ inches high	441
Pair of Louis XVI. Candleabra, formed as ormolu vases, supporting branches for two lights; carnation sprays in centres, 16 inches high	116
Pair of Candelabra, formed of oviform vases of Derbyshire spar, with chased ormolu borders and stems, with scroll branches for two lights each, 15½ inches high; English circa 1760	200

PORCELAIN.

Messrs. Christie.

BARNET LEWIS COLLECTION.	
Chinese Tea-pot and Cover, hexagonal shape, enamelled with butterflies and flowers in famille-verte on yellow ground, sides and cover pierced with branches, spout modelled as elephant's head, 6 inches high, Kang-He	189
Chinese gourd-shaped Bottle, enamelled with river scenes in panels, 10 inches high, Kang-He	158
Pair of hexagonal-shaped Chinese Bottles, enamelled in famille-verte with landscapes and flowers on stippled green ground, 12 inches high, Kang-He	420
Pair of Chinese Powdered-blue Bottles of triple gourd shape, enamelled with lotos, begonias, and birds, in famille-verte, in shaped panels ormolu plinths, 9½ inches high, Kang-He	410
Pair of Chinese Famille-verte Vases, brilliantly enamelled, with flowering cherry tree and birds, 11½ inches high, Kang-He	798

OLD SILVER.

Messrs. Christie.

BARNET LEWIS COLLECTION.	
George I. octagonal Tea-pot, chased at a later date (1718), 330/- per oz.	276
Tea-pot, nearly spherical, with faceted spout, shoulder engraved, by Thomas Partis, Newcastle (1731), 145/- per oz.	103
Queen Anne small Coffee-pot, plain, with domed cover and moulded borders, by Thomas Farren (1709), 90/- per oz.	76
Pair of Queen Anne plain oval Trencher Salt Cellars, with spreading sides, by Matthew Lofthouse (1708), 300/- per oz.	70
Cream Ewer, with moulded lip and circular foot (1728), 120/- per oz.	31
Six silver-gilt small Dishes, with fluted, escalloped borders, 5½ inches diameter, by George Hindmarsh, (1735), 160/- per oz.	286
George I. hexafoil Salver, moulded border, with coats-of-arms, 15 inches diameter (1724), 92/- per oz.	238
Pair of Queen Anne silver-gilt Tazze, engraved with stags and hounds among arabesque foliage, gadrooned borders and feet, 2½ inches high, 9 inches diameter, by Pierre Platel (1704), 250/- per oz.	539
Pair of William III. silver-gilt Cups and Covers, shaped sides engraved with borders of foliage, beaded, S-shaped handles, 5¾ inches high, by J. Ward (1698), 335/- per oz.	370
George I. Taperstick, with baluster stem, and moulded hexagonal foot (1717), 185/- per oz.	24
Queen Anne Snuffer Stand, vase-shaped stem and octagonal moulded foot, by Lewis Mettayer (1705), and a pair of Snuffers (1743), 140/- per oz.	96
Pair of Queen Anne Table Candlesticks, with baluster stems and faceted octagonal plinths, by David Green (1713), 145/- per oz.	153
Pair of William III. Table-Candlesticks, fluted stems and octagonal nozzles, knops and plinths embossed with gadrooning, by S. Dell (1701), 130/- per oz.	153
Four Queen Anne Table-Candlesticks, with vase-shaped stems, chased with festoons of flowers, with supporting nozzles and wax-pans chased, triangular bases chased with acanthus foliage on matted ground, with oval medallion in centre of each face, resting on shell feet, 10¼ inches high, by David King, of Dublin (1702), 200/- per oz.	1095
Charles II. Peg Tankard and Cover, with cylindrical barrel engraved with coat-of-arms, flat cover, supported on three pomegranate feet, 7 inches high, by J. Plummer, York (1665), 430/- per oz.	533
Charles I. Plain Goblet, on baluster stem and circular foot, 4½ inches high (1638), 170/- per oz.	27
Charles II. Wine-Cup, bowl nearly cylindrical, engraved with tulips in outline on matted ground, plain spreading stem and foot, 3¼ inches high, maker's mark H.N. 1660, 800/- per oz.	90
Charles II. Plain Goblet, on baluster stem and circular foot, 6 inches high, maker's mark I.G. 1669, 480/- per oz.	211
Charles I. Goblet, with V-shaped Cup on baluster stem and circular foot, embossed with shield and coat-of-arms at later date, 7 inches high (1633), 160/- per oz.	65
Commonwealth Posset-Pot, straight sides and scroll handle, on three pear-shaped feet, 5 inches in diam., marker's mark T.I. 1656, 880/- per oz.	763
Charles II. Plain Porringer, shaped sides and scroll handle, 3¾ inches in diam., maker's mark OS. 1672, 230/- per oz.	58
Plain Tumbler-Cup, 2¾ inches in diam. (1772), 145/- per oz.	17
George II. Plain Jug and Cover, loop handle, short spout, and slightly domed cover, by Edward Feline (1750) 170/- per oz.	264
George II. Silver-Gilt Cup and Cover, decorated with applied strapwork and foliage, 12 inches high, by David Willaume (1733), 30/- per oz.	333
German silver-gilt Tazza, formed as shell, supported by figure of Neptune on pedestal, 16th century, 200/- per oz., all at	180
Cup, formed of a nautilus, shell mounted, with silver-gilt lip on silver-gilt stem, formed as a figure of Cupid; Dutch, late 16th century, all at	200

PICTURES.

Messrs. Christie.

Hoppner—"Portrait of a Gentleman" in dark coat and white stock, 27½ x 22½	368
Shee (Sir M. A., P.R.A.)—"Portrait of Mrs. Richard Bourke" in white muslin dress, landscape background, 29½ x 24½	252
Reynolds (Sir J., P.R.A.)—"Portrait of Lt.-Col. Charles Macator Browne Walton," of the 1st Life Guards, in scarlet coat, white vest and breeches, 39 x 29½	420
Greuze (J. B.)—"Portrait of Madame van Westrenen of Tremaat" in white muslin dress and pink sash, on panel, 22½ x 19½	756
Terburg—"Two Ladies with Musical Instruments," 15 x 12½	326
Canaletto (A.)—"The Basilica of St. Mark's and the Doge's Palace, Venice," 21 x 26½	578
Guardi (F.)—"A View in Venice," with buildings and bridge; several figures by the side of a canal, 12½ x 15½	861
Henderson (C. Cooper)—"The Leeds and London Royal Mail on the Road: Daylight," and "The Dover and London Royal Mail on the Road: Night," a pair; 13½ x 24½	630
Sartorius (J. N.)—"Fox-Hunting: Breaking Cover"; signed and dated 1788; 24 x 29½	273
Sartorius (J. N.)—"Coursing," a set of four—"Spotting the Hare," "The Chase," "The Kill" and "The Return"—25½ x 32½	504
Sartorius (J. N.)—"Fox-Hunting—Going to Cover and Full Cry," a pair; 16½ x 23½	399
Pollard (James)—"The Derby, 1833," and "The Goodwood Cup, 1833," a pair; 14 x 24	1680
Pollard (James)—"A Mail Coach Starting from an Inn," and "A Mail Coach at the Turnpike at Night," a pair; 13½ x 17	420
Marshall (Ben)—"Portrait of Priam," winner of the Derby, 1830, with Sam Day up, and trainer, at Epsom	1313
Marshall (Ben)—"Portrait of Sam Chifney on Burleigh," signed, and dated 1812; 33½ x 39½	945
Herring (J. F.)—"The Glasgow and London Royal Mail on the Road" 25½ x 32½	819
Herring (J. F.)—"Portrait of John Milton, Esq.," in hunting costume, on horse-back"; 21½ x 29	945
Morland (George) — "The Labourers' Luncheon," view of sand-pit, a cart with brown and white horse, with four peasants and two dogs partaking of food; signed; 27½ x 35½	1218
Morland (George)—"Woodcock and Pheasant Shooting," sportsman in red coat under a tree, with two dogs and dead game in front, saddled horse in background; 11½ x 15	441
Morland (George)—"Outside the 'Bull's Head,'" an old thatched inn with four peasants drinking and smoking, with girl in blue bodice conversing; signed and dated 1790; 27½ x 35½	2520
Morland (George)—"The Farmer's Visit to his Married Daughter in Town," and "The Visit Returned," a pair—circular; 12½in. diameter	504

IRISH RADIO WEEK.

DINNER IN DUBLIN.

In connection with the Irish Radio Week, a largely-attended dinner was given in the Shelbourne Hotel, Dublin, last night, under the auspices of the Irish Radio Traders' Association, the Wireless Retailers' Association of Ireland, and the Wireless Society of Ireland. Professor F. T. Hackett, Ph.D., presided.

Mr. M. R. Heffernan, T.D., Parliamentary Secretary to the Department of Posts and Telegraphs, responding to the toast of "Eire," referred to broadcasting in the Free State, and said that when the new high-power station was working on a wave length of 413 metres, it would be easier to cut out that station in Dublin than it is at present to cut out the Dublin Station, and even if the Dublin Station is retained, a question which cannot be decided until the high-power station is in operation, the effect on foreign transmission sound above the lower wave length used would be unimportant.

Mr. Heffernan's speech was broadcast from the Dublin Station.

DUBLIN LITERARY SOCIETY.

Lecturing at a meeting of the Dublin Literary Society on "The Wild Geese" last night, Mr. Aodh de Blacám described the recently-reopened Irish Franciscan College at Louvain, and said that the Franciscan writers of the seventeenth century whose works were printed on the Friars' Press were the true founders of modern Irish prose.

Professor W. Magennis, M.A., presided.

A LONSDALE COMEDY.

On Monday, at the Abbey Theatre, "Aren't We All?" the brilliant comedy by Frederick Lonsdale, is to be produced.

METROPOLITAN SCHOOL OF ART.

FANCY DRESS CARNIVAL.

There was a large attendance at the annual fancy dress carnival held by the President and students in the Metropolitan School of Art, Dublin, last night. About three dozen students, each representing a different nursery rhyme, took part. Prizes were given by the staff for the most original ladies' and gentlemen's costumes, the judges being Mrs. Blythe, Mr. Atkinson, R.H.A., and Mr. Leo Whelan, R.H.A.

Miss Maguire acted as President, and Miss Douglas made a capable honorary secretary.

THE DUBLIN OPERATIC SOCIETY.

TWO OPERAS AT THE GAIETY.

The Dublin Operatic Society, which was founded in June, 1928, will produce Donizetti's grand opera, "Lucia di Lammermoor," and Bellini's grand opera, "La Sonnambula," at the Gaiety Theatre during the week commencing March 10th.

The cast for "Lucia di Lammermoor" will comprise Mamie Dingle, Tessie Mooney, Henry Thornton, Michael Nolan, Simon Whyte, John Nolan and "Victor Stephen"; and the cast for "La Sonnambula" will consist of Peggy O'Regan, Ella Clarke, Winifred Telfer, Carmel O'Callaghan, William Hobbs, John Yeates, James Gattens and Michael J. Gallagher.

A chorus of over seventy members of the Society will perform. All the costumes for the productions have been made in Dublin to designs procured from Milan. The musical director of the Society is Maestro A. G. Viani, Professor of Singing, R.I.A.M., and the honorary producer is Mr. Hubert Bailey, A.R.S.M.

MASONIC FEMALE ORPHAN SCHOOL.

The Board of Governors of the Masonic Female Orphan School will meet at the Schoolhouse, Ballsbridge, on Tuesday next, the 4th March, at 9 o'clock a.m. Breakfast will be served at 8.30 o'clock a.m.

BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

SPECIAL ITEMS.

10.45—Sponsored programme from 2RN in connection with Radio Week.

7.30—St. David's Day Concert from Cardiff (Daventry 5XX).

DUBLIN (2RN)—413 Metres.

1.30-2.0—Time signal; weather forecast and gramaphone concert. **4.0-6.0**—Artane Brass and Reed Band: The National March (Fritz Brasé); Finale, Das Rheingold (Wagner); Cujus Animam from the Stabat Mater (Rossini); Selection, Sicilian Vespers (Verdi); March, The Green Flag (Fritz Brasé); Fantasia on Grieg's Works (Grieg); Descriptive, The Mill in the Valley (Bauer). Mmde. K. McCaffery (soprano): Daffodils a Blowing (German); O Flower Divine (H. Wood); Arcady is Ever Young (L. Monckton); March Winds (M. Meade); Spring is Here (E. Dick); The Sweet o' the Year (Needham). Artane Brass and Reed Band: Clarinet solo, Di Tanti Palpiti (Rossini); Poeme Symphonique, D'Omphale (St. Saens); March, Colonel J. Ward (Cheeseman); Suite, Cappriccio Espagnol, Waving Corn (Ancliffe). **7.30**—Time signal. **7.30** Talk, "Charlemont House and its Founder," C. M. Ni Dhubhghaill. **7.45**—Gaedhilg, Seamus O Duirinne. **8.0**—Opera, "Tales of Hoffmann" (Offenbach)—Ethel Earl (London), Olympia; Kenneth Sterne, Hoffman; K. McCully, Guiletta; Joan Burke, Nicklaus; William Lemass, Crespil; Booth Hitchen, Coppelius, Miracle, Dapertutto; Station Orchestra and Opera Chorus; conductor, Vincent O'Brien. **10.30**—Marconi (Ireland), Ltd. Recital of selected H.M.V. Gramaphone Records, reproduced from Model 520 H.M.V. Radio Gramaphone. **11.0**—Time signal; weather forecast.

BELFAST (2BE)—242.3 Metres (1238 Kc.)

10.25-10.30—The Daily Service, relayed from Daventry. **3.30**—Dance Music. **4.15**—Harry D. Montgomery (baritone), the Radio Quartet. **5.15**—Children's Hour. **6.0**—From London. **7.0**—Mr. E. Godfrey Brown: "Next Week's Music." **7.15**—The Royal Horticultural Society's Weekly Bulletin. **7.25**—Music. **7.30**—The Station Choir and Orchestra, conducted by E. Godfrey Brown. **9.0-12.0**—From London.

LONDON (2LO)—356.3 Metres (842 Kc.) **and DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,554.4 Metres** (193 Kc.)

10.15 a.m.—The Daily Service. **10.30**—Weather Forecast. **10.45-11.0**—"Saving the Countryside"—III.: Mr. Clough Williams Ellis: "The Tin Tout Tyranny, or the Modern Highwayman." **1.0-2.0**—The Commodore Grand Orchestra. **2.50-4.45**—Sixth Round F.A. Cup: A Running Commentary on a Cup-Tie. **4.45**—Reginald New (organ). **5.5**—The Week's Work in the Garden, by the Royal Horticultural Society. **5.15**—Children. **6.0**—The Royal Navy v. The Army: An Eye-Witness Account of the Rugby Football Match, by Mr. H. P. Marshall. **6.15**—Weather Forecast. **6.45**—The Foundations of Music: Haydn Quartets, played by the Kutcher Quartet, Op. 50, No. 1, in B Flat. **7.0**—"My Day's Work," by a Diver, Mr. C. H. Burwood. **7.20**—The Director of Programmes on Alternative Programmes. **7.30** (London only)—Students' Songs: Stuart Robertson (baritone). **7.30-10.50**—Daventry only. **7.30**—St. David's Day: A Programme of Welsh Music, arranged and conducted by E. T. Davies (University College of North Wales, Bangor): National Orchestra of Wales, Tom Pickering (tenor), Mable Parry (soprano). **9.0-10.15**—Speeches at the St. David's Day Banquet of the Cardiff Cymrodorion Society, relayed from the City Hall, Cardiff; Toast of "Our Guest," proposed by the President, Dr. H. M. Hughes, O.B.E., B.A., D.D., and responded to by Mr. J. H. Thomas, M.P. (Lord Privy Seal); Claerwyn Davies (baritone). **8.0**—Leicester Brass Band Festival. **9.0**—Weather Forecast. **9.20**—Lieut.-Commander the Hon. J. M. Kenworthy, M.P.: "By Air Mail from Cairo to Karachi." **9.40**—Vaudeville: Norman Long (a Song, a Joke and a Piano), Melville Gideon (entertainer), Clapham and Dwyer (in another "Spot of Bother"), Marie Burke (comedienne); Sketch, "Half an Hour in a Teashop," by Beatrice Mayor: Cast—Waitress, Katherine Hynes; Miss Jenks, Gladys Young; Mr. Simpkins, Harman Grisewood; Young Man, Lionel Millard; Young Girl, Katherine Hynes; and Edgar Fairchild and Robert Lindholm, the Famous Twin Pianists; Jack Payne and his B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. **10.50-12.0**—Dance Music.

FOREIGN STATIONS.

Concerts:
7. 0—Liepzig: Symphony Concert.
7.30—Berlin, Breslau, Leipzig: Orchestral.
7.30—Warsaw: Selections from Operettas.
8. 0—Hamburg: Selections from Operettas.

Operas and Operettas:
6.30—Budapest: Relay from Royal Opera House.
7. 0—Vienna: "Rheingold" (Wagner).
8. 0—Milan, Turin: Relay from Scala Opera House.

Plays:
7.55—Munich: "Is Mr. Brown Guilty?"
8.45—Radio-Paris: "Le Mariage Forcé" (Molière).

TO-MORROW.

DUBLIN (2RN)—413 Metres.

3.15 p.m.—Relay of Re-play of Free State Cup Semi-Final, Shamrock Rovers v. Fordsons, from Iveagh Grounds, Crumlin, Dublin. **8.30-11.0**—Relay of Cork Programme. **8.30**—Time Signal. Orchestral Concert: Conductor, Mr. Sean Neeson; Soloists, Miss Maura O'Connor (mezzo-soprano), Herr Aloys Fleischmann (organ), Signor F. Grossi (violin), Mr. W. Brady (violin). **8.30**—Organ and Orchestra: Largo in G (Handel-Brown). **8.40**—Pastorale from "Christmas Music": Concerto Grosso No. 8 (Arcangelo Corelli-Schering); Solo Violins: Signor F. Grossi and Mr. W. E. Brady. **8.45**—Concerto in F (Op. 137), for Organ, Strings, and 3 Horns (Josef Rheinberger); Herr Aloys Fleischmann (Organ and Orchestra). **9.15**—Miss Maura O'Connor (Vocal Solos). **9.30**—Signor F. Grossi (Violin Solos). **9.50**—Miss Maura O'Connor (Vocal Solos). **10.0**—Orchestra: Fantasiestucke Op. 73 (Schumann-Brown), Suite (Tartini-Grossi), "The Lark in the Clear Air" (arr. Hardebeck), Minuet (Boccherini-Sharp), Hungarian Dances Nos. 5 and 6 (Brahms-Carse). **11.0**—Time Signal, Weather Forecast.

BELFAST (2BE)—242.3 Metres (1,238 Kc)

3.0—Church Cantata, No. 127 (Bach) (from Manchester). **3.45**—From London. **6.30-7.45**—From Edinburgh. **8.45**—From London. **10.30**—Epilogue.

LONDON (2LO)—356.3 Metres (842 Kc.) **and DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,554.4 Metres** (193 Kc.).

10.30 a.m. (Daventry only)—Weather Forecast. **3.0**—Church Cantata, No. 127 (Bach) (relayed from St. Ann's Church, Manchester). **3.45**—Bible Reading: Paul's Letters—XII., I Corinthians, xii. and xiii. **4.0**—Children's Service, relayed from St. Ann's, Manchester (from Manchester). **4.30**—A Brass Band Concert (from Manchester): The Creswell Colliery Institute Band (conducted by David Aspinall). Joseph Farrington (bass). **5.45-6.15**—Albert Sammons—A Violin Recital: Sonata in A, No. 2 (Bach)—Andante, Allegro assai, Andante, Presto; Rondo in G (Mozart, arr. Sammons); Garden Melody (Schumann), Slav Dance (Dvorak, arr. Bartok), Poupée Valsante (Poldini, arr. Kreisler), Rigaudon (Monsigny, arr. Franko). **8.0**—Service, conducted by the Rev. Archibald Fleming, D.D., Minister of St. Columba's, Pont street (assisted by the Choir of St. Columba's, under the direction of Mr. Arnold Fulton). **8.45**—The Week's Good Cause: Appeal on behalf of The Royal National Lifeboat Institution, by Coxswain John T. Swan, of Lowestoft. **8.50**—Weather Forecast, (Daventry only) Shipping Forecast. **9.5**—The Wireless Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Sir Henry Wood; Marcelle Meyer (pianoforte). **10.30**—Epilogue: "The Sinner."

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TRINITY COLLEGE NOTES.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

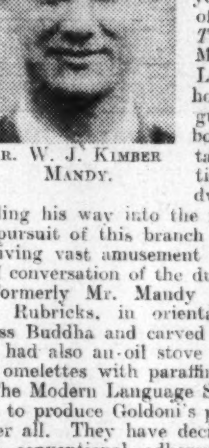
Now that the evenings are getting longer, we may expect any day to see one of the first signs of spring in Trinity College—the annual revival of that ancient and democratic sport of pitch and toss. This unofficial sport has flourished time out of mind in Botany Bay, and legend speaks of a period when these "schools" were one of the sights of Dublin, visitors coming from far and near to see the fun, while men stood up on boxes shouting the odds on each "pitch." It is said that, to such an extent did it grow, that the authorities took action, and it lost much of its spectacular value in consequence.

At the present day small groups assemble under the twisted thorntrees after Commons, throwing their pennies towards a small circle marked on the ground. Tremendous applause greets a nicely-placed "pitch," and the once more apposite traditional cry of "Heads or harps" rings out on the evening air. Even Divinity students have been known to take a hand, and have on occasions attained to considerable skill in the delicate art. There are probably few of the solemn Trinity dons who have not in the distant past thrown their little copper discus at the "motty," and exulted when they scored a "ringer."

On some occasions when these "schools" become too vociferous they are driven from beneath the windows of hard-working, serious students with a fusillade of stale bread and jugs of water. No doubt, the game is the lineal successor of the famous marbles, which Scholars of the House were forbidden to play on the Chapel steps. It forms a pleasant and open-air change from the winter bridge parties.

SUBURBANOLOGY.

Next Monday the Modern Language Society will hold their annual dance in the Hibernian Hotel. The Secretary of the Dance Committee is Mr. W. J. Kimber Mandy, one-time Correspondence Secretary of the College Historical Society, and for many years prop and stay of the magazine, *T.C.D.* He is a Moderator in Modern Languages, and his hobby is the study of guests in seaside boarding-houses. He takes almost a scientific interest in the dwellers of suburbia, finding his way into the most curious places in pursuit of this branch of knowledge, and deriving vast amusement from the behaviour and conversation of the dullest people.



MR. W. J. KIMBER MANDY.

Formerly Mr. Mandy dwelt high up in the Rubricks, in oriental luxury, with a brass Buddha and carved tables from Malay. He had also an oil stove which flavoured all his omelettes with paraffin oil.

The Modern Language Society have decided not to produce Goldoni's play, "L'Eventail," after all. They have decided to depart from the conventional adherence to Racine and Molière, and are to produce "Siegfried," by Jean Girardouse, next term, just before Trinity Week. "Siegfried" is a very modern play, dealing with a Frenchman who lost his memory after the war, was adopted by a German woman, and became a violently patriotic German. The author's contention is that patriotism is merely a matter of environment.

The Society is also producing a light play by Jacinto Benevente in Spanish, entitled "No Smoking." This will be almost the first occasion on which a modern play has been produced in Spanish in Ireland.

A FRENCH DEBATE.

On Tuesday the Society will hold an inter-debate with the French Society of University College in the Regent House. The motion to be discussed reads: "*Que la Prohibition doit être imposée en Europe.*" These inter-debates with University College have been held frequently, and are extremely popular.

The Pen Club are to hold a dinner in the Fellows' Common Room on Tuesday. The dramatic editor of their journal, "The College Pen," is Mr. D. R. O'Doherty, whose impersonation of "King Billy" at the last Trinity Week "rag" was so memorable. Mr. O'Doherty is also a member of the Council of the new Dublin Film Society; for his main interest in life is films. He is, however, also an ardent collector of pewter, and, to a lesser degree, of china.

GAELS AND THEOLOGIANS.

On Monday afternoon the Gaelic Society will hear a paper from Mr. D. Goold-Verschoyle on "Red Hugh O'Donnell." Mr. Goold-Verschoyle's principal activities are politics and playing on bagpipes.

The Theological Society will discuss "Psychology in Religion" on Monday night, after hearing a paper from Mr. J. R. Kirkpatrick on the subject.

The Neophyte Society are in high feather because their approval of Soviet Russia elicited a horrified letter from an old gentleman in England. The Committee promptly stated that under no circumstances would the Neophyte Society interfere with Soviet Russia. On Monday night they will propose the motion, "That women should be accorded full privileges in all College societies."

TIME AND WISDOM.

Mr. Godfrey will be in the chair at the Metaphysical Society on Monday afternoon, when Mr. J. O. Wisdom reads his paper on "Time and Consciousness as Serial Conceptions."

The annual meeting of the Trinity Mission in Belfast will be held in the Museum Buildings at 4.30 on Tuesday. The speakers will include the Bishop of Down and the Rev. H. Turner, head of the mission.

"That sweepstakes for charitable purposes are undesirable" will be the very topical subject for debate by the Historical Society on Wednesday night.

On Friday the Boat Club will hold their annual "at home" in the boat-house at Island Bridge. There will be an afternoon's racing, commencing at 2 o'clock, when the Millar and Craig-Davidson cups will be competed for. There will also be an "eight" race. Afterwards there will be tea and dancing in the long room. This "at home" is always informal and very enjoyable.

In conclusion there are two items of gossip of interest. It is said that a certain undergraduate, contemplating an attempt on Scholarship, found himself debarred because he was not a subject of the British Crown. He is endeavouring to compete for a "non-foundation" Scholarship, which has previously been confined to women students.

There is a newly-formed quartet in College, which has been industriously practising madrigals of late. It is rumoured that they may shortly be heard over the wireless.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Choral Concert—Theatre Royal, 3 o'clock.
St. David's Dinner—Gresham Hotel, 6.30 o'clock.
Circuit Court—Green Street, 11 a.m.
Gaiety Theatre—"Journey's End."
Theatre Royal—"This Year of Grace."
Olympia Theatre—"Nuts and Wine."
Abbey Theatre—"The Countess Cathleen" and "The Shadow of a Gunman."
Dublin Gate Theatre (Rotunda)—"Faust."
Savoy Cinema—"Rio Rita."
Capitol Cinema—"The Four Feathers."
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"Innocents of Paris."
Plaza Ballroom—Hotel, Restaurant, Theatrical, and Cinema Employés' Annual Fancy Dress Dance.
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Telegrams: Father Clare, March.

The Catholic Presbytery, March, Cambs.

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LONDON MIDLAND AND SCOTTISH RAILWAY COMPANY.

SIR JOSIAH STAMP'S REVIEW.

RAIL AND ROAD TRANSPORT

ELECTRIFICATION OF THE MAIN LINE

The seventh annual general meeting of the London Midland and Scottish Railway Company was held at Euston Station, London, N.W.1, yesterday.

Sir Josiah Charles Stamp, G.B.E., Chairman of the company, presided.

The Chairman—I will now ask the Secretary to read the notice convening the meeting.

The Secretary (Mr. Owen Glynne Roberts) read the notice.

The Chairman—Ladies and gentlemen,—We have followed the method adopted last year, and received by you with approval, of issuing a condensed statement of financial results for the general use of the stockholders, leaving those who may be specially interested on particular points to ask for the full statements.

Will you follow while I go over the broad features of the business of the year.

RESULTS OF THE YEAR'S WORKING.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC RECEIPTS.

The losses in passenger traffic receipts for the year were severe, partly offset by improvements in mineral and coal traffic. Shortly, the receipts were:—

	Worse. £	%	Better. £	%
Passengers	1,154,000	5.0	—	—
Parcels, Mails, etc.	—	—	97,000	1.4
Merchandise (Classes 7 and over)	360,000	1.6	—	—
Minerals, etc. (Classes 1 to 6)	—	—	203.000	3.1
Coal, coke, etc.....	—	—	616,000	4.5
Live stock	53,000	6.1	—	—
	£651,000	0.9	—	—

Generally, our receipts were affected adversely by the continued depression of trade in the heavy and textile industries in the area covered by the L.M.S. system. While on the year the volume of unemployment of the whole country showed a decrease of 3 per cent., there was actually an increase of 7½ per cent. in the North-Western area. In Lancashire, Yorkshire (West Riding) and Lanarkshire, mainly areas peculiar to the L.M.S., there arises about 40 per cent. of the unemployment in the whole of Great Britain. This inevitably reacted on our traffic receipts as regards both merchandise and passengers.

TRADE DEPRESSION.

The excessive depression in trade in the area of this railway is also reflected in the bankers' clearings. The Metropolitan clearing for 1929 showed an increase of 1.5 per cent. over 1928, but Liverpool, Manchester and Bradford taken together decreased over 6 per cent. The shrinkage in the case of Bradford was as much as 13.3 per cent., a sad commentary on the state of the wool textile industry, whereas the other eight large centres, not so completely identified with the L.M.S. showed a decrease of 1.15 per cent. only. Again, in shipbuilding the tonnage launched on North East Coast during 1928 was 90,000 greater than upon the Clyde. In 1929 it was 180,000 greater; there was a lesser output on the Clyde of 40,000 tons, whilst the North East Coast increased by 50,000.

ROAD COMPETITION.

Apart from this general cause, the passenger receipts were further adversely affected by road competition and steps were taken to counter it by the extension of cheap fares, but while there were only two per cent. fewer passengers, the receipts were 5 per cent. less. What they would have been had reductions in fares not been made it is difficult to say, but the loss of volume, notwithstanding these reductions, indicates that diminished charges were not the main cause of the decline and, in fact, our passenger department can point to large blocks of new traffic in particular areas attracted by special fares. In Lancashire our losses were particularly severe, a contributory factor being the stoppage in the cotton trade at the height of the holiday season. There is again a noticeable reduction in the short distance traffic, although this traffic has the lowest fares, and I will later refer to the steps we are taking to share in this diversion to the public roads where we are permitted by Parliament to do so.

The receipts from parcels and mails traffic conveyed by passenger trains show a general improvement, and now represent nearly one-fourth of the passenger train receipts.

Merchandise receipts (excluding the heavy or mineral classes) declined, and in this connection I would again draw attention to the severe depression in trade in the manufacturing areas of Lancashire, Yorkshire (West Riding) and Lanarkshire where extensive unemployment exists. Further, an analysis of the business done shows that the high rated traffics most susceptible to road competition have suffered most. On the other hand, many of the low rated traffics improved and the traffic which is collected or delivered by the Company's cartage arrangements was substantially greater and its volume was the highest since amalgamation. This traffic has been materially increased by the extended railhead distribution and container facilities which have developed rapidly.

The mineral classes show a welcome improvement, and the loss in iron ore traffic in 1928 was more than recovered last year, a decrease of 532,000 tons against 1927 being turned into an increase of 700,000 tons over 1928.

RAILWAY EXPENDITURE.

Against the loss in receipts there is the substantial reduction of £780,000 in working expenses which are seen in the summary statement accompanying the report. It must be remembered that this follows a reduction of £2,500,000 a year ago, and is quite apart from the 2½ per cent. deduction from salaries, wages, etc.

There was a reduction of £610,000 in operating expenses.

The reduction in operating expenses is a general one, an exception being locomotive coal, which cost £65,000 more. As we ran 2,200,000 more miles the saving is even more marked than would appear from the reduction of £610,000, and the Board are most appreciative of the very great support they have had from all grades.

The amount charged to the expenditure of the year and credited to renewal provisions is £5,250,000 — not a haphazard figure, but arrived at in great detail on scientific lines.

The renewal and maintenance funds were charged in the year with £6,500,000 in respect of the non-capital portion of new work, and now stand at just under £20,000,000. The outlay on new works met by these funds, and that met out of capital, has not only contributed greatly to the efficiency of the undertaking, but has incidentally been of great value to the industry of the country in a time of difficulty. It has totalled £50,000,000 in the period since amalgamation.

The continuous reduction of the salaries and office expenses in general charges has been referred to at several of these meetings. In 1922, immediately prior to amalgamation, they totalled £961,000, and in 1929 £589,000, a reduction of nearly 40 per cent., there being a further reduction in 1929 of £24,000. This is an easily-isolated example of the steady fruition of the economies resulting from fusion of administrative staffs.

RAILWAY MOTORS AND STEAMSHIPS.

With these reductions in expenditure the net railway receipts show an increase of £104,000. And now I come to the other income.

Road motor transport shows a loss of £6,000, but this is mainly attributable to the fact that the services are new and are not yet fully established. As the report indicates, by far the greater part of our interests in road services will be as shareholders in road companies, and these do not affect the returns for 1929.

In steamboats there is a very satisfactory improvement of £85,000, and the net receipt of £193,000 is by far the best result we have had. The Irish services, generally, have shown marked improvements.

Canals and docks, together, are better by £25,000, but hotels and catering are less by £31,000, and collection and delivery by £97,000. There has been a large growth in carted traffic, which, as I explained a year ago, is not directly remunerative.

Joint lines are better by £31,000.

The other accounts are all better, and I need mention only rents, £52,000, a steadily improving figure due to the efforts to obtain new income from railway curtilages, and interest items, £68,000, to which the freeing of cash resources through the reduction of stocks of stores by a further £1,100,000 has materially contributed.

The only other item I need mention is the increased effect of the 2½ per cent. deduction from fees, salaries and wages for a whole year, as against 4½ months in 1928, £670,000.

THE NET REVENUE.

The summation of these figures is a net revenue for the year of £17,175,000, or more by £904,000
and adding the increased amount brought in £100,000
the additional amount available for ordinary stock, prior charges being practically the same, is £1,004,000
out of which the Board recommend an increase of the dividend from 3½ per cent. to 4½ per cent., absorbing £952,000
and carrying forward £212,000, or more by £52,000
and at the close of my remarks I shall ask you to adopt that recommendation.

At the foot of page 3 you will see that an approximate analysis is given of the disposal of the receipts of the year from all businesses showing the relative weight per £ of the chief divisions of outgoings, and the figures speak for themselves. Of course, the coal and other purchases (4s.) also include a large proportion paid in wages, in addition to the sums paid direct by the railway—viz., 10s. 9d.; and to dispose of an inquiry from a stockholder I may mention that the 4s. 3d. for interest and dividends includes debenture interest.

On page 4 we give an analysis of the number of holdings in each class of the company's stocks. It is of interest to note that in the fixed interest and prior stocks the majority of holdings are in the "£400 and upward" classes; but in the ordinary stock, which bears the main burden of fluctuations in industrial fortunes, well over 50 per cent. of the holdings are under £300. The total number of accounts is about 300,000. In this connection it is interesting to observe that the pay roll covers 249,000 people, in 1921 it covered about 285,000, and in 1923 263,000—an important index of the progress of re-organisation.

ADMINISTRATION.

You will have noticed from the report that Mr. James Hamilton Houldsworth has resigned from the Board. Mr. Houldsworth was a director of the old Caledonian Railway Company and came on to this Board at the amalgamation. We, in London, shall miss his charming personality, but the company will not lose the benefit of his experience and advice, as he will remain a member of the Scottish Local Committee.

The Board have appointed the Right Hon. Walter Runciman, M.P., and Major Glyn, M.P., to two of the existing vacancies.

Mr. Runciman's wide experience will be of the utmost value to the company, and it is, perhaps, unnecessary for me to refer to Major Glyn, who was a director of the Caledonian Railway and has been a member of the Scottish Committee for some time with untiring zeal in the company's interests.

There have been several retirements from the ranks of the higher administration.

Mr. Evans, Vice-President, unfortunately found it necessary to retire through ill-health; he has recently had to undergo a serious operation, from which, however, we understand he is recovering satisfactorily. Mr. Clower, Chief Officer for Labour and Establishment, with his imperturbable patience and tact, had won a unique position, especially in his pioneer work in welfare and co-operation, for which the proprietors owe him a debt of gratitude.

Mr. Gee was Chief Accountant of the London and North-Western Railway Company before succeeding to that position with this company, and has rendered faithful service over a long number of years.

Mr. Evans' position as Vice-President for Railway Traffic Operating and Commercial Section has been filled by the transfer of Mr. Quirey, who has been succeeded as Vice-President for Finance and Secretaries Department by Mr. W. V. Wood, while Mr. G. L. Darbyshire and Mr. E. Taylor have succeeded Mr. Clower and Mr. Gee, respectively.

It is with very great regret that I have to refer to the death, in March last, of Mr. R. W. Reid, who was Vice-President for Works and Ancillary Undertakings. Mr. Reid was a young man of brilliant attainment and proved worth, and by his death the company suffered a well-nigh irreparable loss.

After very careful consideration your directors have appointed Sir Harold Hartley, C.B.E., F.R.S., to succeed him, and also to act as Director of Scientific Research.

As you are aware, at the head of the several Engineering Departments we are fortunate in having chief officers each being at the very forefront of his own particular branch of the profession, and we are confident that Sir Harold Hartley's special experience and qualities, in collaboration with them, and as their General Manager, so to speak, will be of the greatest service to the company.

SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH.

The process of amalgamation of the railways brought into one system a number of scientific laboratories engaged in the testing of materials, metallurgical investigations and kindred scientific work, and the late Mr. Reid did excellent work in rearranging the functions of these various laboratories and re-organising them. I have for some time been greatly impressed by the possibilities of research, having regard to the large quantities of materials of all kinds used by us and the immense variety of processes involved. Some months ago I appointed a Committee to consider the suitability of our present arrangements to their present task, and the scope for further research upon definite and co-ordinated lines, and particularly the relationship existing between experimental testing in the shops, the laboratory work and the work of the outside research associations with which we are affiliated. On this Committee I had the help of some eminent men in the scientific field and in the world of industrial research. The report of the Committee was gratifying from the point of view of the excellence of the work now being done by our scientific staff and the arrangements in the laboratories. They were favourably impressed by the high standard attained in the work and by the large amount of research in improving existing processes and developing new methods. But they confirmed our view that considerable scope existed for further intensive directed research, and recommended the appointment of an officer with special attainments, for co-ordinating the work and securing the necessary contacts between the railway and associations or industrial laboratories, together with the assistance of an Advisory Committee. We are now well on the way to carry out the recommendations of this Committee, and the present *personnel* of the Advisory Committee, who will meet from time to time to consider the programmes of research and their progress, will be, under Sir Harold Hartley as Chairman, Sir Harold Carpenter, F.R.S., Professor of Metallurgy in the Royal School of Mines; Sir Herbert Jackson, K.B.E., F.R.S., Emeritus Professor of Chemistry and Director of the British Scientific Instrument Research Association; Mr. W. Rintoul, Joint Research Manager of Imperial Chemical Industries, Ltd.; Dr. Frank Smith, C.B., C.B.E., F.R.S., Secretary of the Royal Society and Scientific Research, together with certain of our own technical officers. These gentlemen have all a very cordial interest in the development of research along the lines I have indicated, and I have to express my deep appreciation to them for their willingness to assist and the public spirit they have shown.

REMISSION OF GOVERNMENT PASSENGER DUTY.

It will be remembered that 1929 Budget proposals included the remission of railway passenger duty, subject to the expenditure by each of the railway companies of a sum equivalent to the capitalised value of the duty paid in 1928 upon schemes of development and improvement—preferably such as would benefit the heavy industries—which would not, in the ordinary course, be embarked upon at the present time.

The capitalised value of our proportion of the duty is £2,400,000, and a list of works to be undertaken by the company has been agreed. These schemes include:—

(a) The building of 30 "Garratt" locomotives for heavy coal trains;
(b) The building of 25 mixed traffic engines;
(c) Remodelled and improved goods and passenger station accommodation (mainly the former);
(d) Additional traffic siding accommodation;
(e) Additional and improved running facilities and safety appliances;
(f) Strengthening of railway bridges to make them suitable for heavier engines;
(g) Accelerated conversion of a large number of passenger carrying vehicles from gas to electric light;
(h) Improvement of coal shipping appliances at various ports.

The schemes, taking into account the benefit of the remission of passenger duty, will be remunerative.

DEVELOPMENT (LOAN GUARANTEES AND GRANTS) ACT, 1929.

Under this Act grants are made to assist public utility undertakings in the carrying out of works calculated to promote employment. So far as the railway companies are concerned, these grants take the form of an interest payment spread over a period (not exceeding 15 years) on the capital portion of approved schemes; the extent to which the expenditure is calculated to promote employment in the United Kingdom and to the probability of the expenditure not otherwise being incurred in the near future are material points.

A number of schemes have been submitted, and those already approved are:—

(1) Electrification of the Wirral Railway.
(2) Widening and electrification between Dagenham and Upminster, and the provision of two new stations between Barking and Dagenham; this is a portion of our L. T. and S. Line which runs through the Becontree Housing Estate of the London County Council.
(3) Widenings:—
(a) About 1¼ miles long between Broadholme and Ambergate, on the company's Derby to Manchester Line; and
(b) About 1 mile long at Mirfield, on the company's L. and Y. Line between Halifax and Wakefield.
(4) Additional marshalling siding accommodation at Crofton Junction, on the company's L. and Y. Line near Wakefield, for dealing with the increasing traffic from the Yorkshire coalfield.
(5) Acceleration of conversion of coaching stock from gas to electric lighting.

Up to the present schemes involving a total expenditure of approximately £1,800,000 have been approved by the Treasury, the portion of this amount which will rank for grant of interest at various rates and for various periods being approximately £1,450,000.

Further schemes, amounting in total to between £3,000,000 and £4,000,000, are under consideration, and only such proposals will be put forward as will, with the assistance to be obtained from the Treasury, be remunerative to the company.

Schemes submitted do not include those in which reconstruction is to be met out of our large Capital Renewal Funds, nor those in which Parliamentary bills have yet to be promoted, so that the range of possible immediate assistance is more limited than is usually supposed.

RAIL AND ROAD TRANSPORT.

A year ago I outlined the policy of your Board and their proposed action to establish the company in the omnibus business of the country, consistent with the full powers conferred by Parliament under the Road Transport Act, 1928. This policy has been steadily pursued, the primary object being to attain as between the railway and the established road services the fullest measure of collaboration, and the encouragement of the development of each form of transport on complementary lines for the benefit of both classes of undertaking and the travelling public.

During the year, over the whole field of the company's operations we have succeeded in reaching such arrangements for co-operation by way of a substantial interest in the principal omnibus companies, as well as in the omnibus services of a number of municipalities in the company's territory. In other cases where circumstances have been favourable to such a course the company has acquired a number of omnibus concerns, either wholly or in joint ownership with the London and North-Eastern and Great Western Railway Companies.

The company's nominees are being elected to the Boards of these omnibus companies, and also on the Joint Standing Committees, which have been, or are being, set up to deal with matters of mutual interest.

These partnerships and acquisitions, representing an interest in over 5,000 omnibuses, and forming part of a scheme of co-ordination as between railway and road travel, which have been announced in the Press from time to time, are summarised in the report, and, as they take effect, in the main, as from 1st January, 1930, the results of working are not reflected in the accounts for 1929.

The new relationship between the railway and omnibus undertakings is necessitating continuous review of the circumstances where the railway and road services are on common or adjacent routes, with a view of producing, as far as possible, harmony of interest and economy of resources with opportunities for the exchange and development of business, without detriment to public requirements. The process must be gradual, but each month should witness some new benefit from the policy pursued.

One of the more important of these benefits will be the elimination of inconvenient, superseded and, therefore, unremunerative railway services, together with the substitution of road services for local trains of little earning value.

In the carriage of merchandise traffic by road the difficulties encountered are more pronounced owing to the wider range of interests involved and the diverse ownership of goods transport vehicles, which stand out in marked contrast to the road passenger vehicles; but the policy of operating railway road vehicles where expedient continues to be developed.

In the main, the traffic carried throughout by road represents short distance business, which traders require to be collected and delivered on the same day.

Regular road transport goods services, which cater mainly for miscellaneous traffic, have also been established, and the company's radial collection and delivery services, together with railhead depot and distribution facilities, are increasingly demanded by traders.

STAFF.

Last year I made reference to the agreement entered into with the trade unions in July, 1926, under which railway employés—and you will recollect that the directors also participated in this arrangement—contributed 2½ per cent. of their total earnings towards meeting our heavy decreases in revenue. The trade unions gave notice to terminate the agreement on November 12th, 1929, and as a result of further negotiations it was agreed that the deduction should continue until May 12th, 1930, and that until November 12th, 1930, both the companies and the trade unions should be debarred from asking for a general revision in rates of pay or conditions of service.

I also referred a year ago to the extension amongst our own employés of the spirit of co-operation which has been manifested in varying degrees in our great industries generally. I am pleased to say that the opinion I formed last year, that a substantial advance on the right lines had been achieved, has been strengthened by the experience of the past twelve months. At all meetings of Local Departmental Committees discussion takes place on the question of co-operation with the company's officers in advancing the interests of the business through increased efficiency or economy in methods of work. In regard to the activities of the company in combating road competition, I have recently taken the opportunity of issuing to each member of the staff a circular, setting out what has been done by the company in securing a share of the omnibus business of the country since road powers were obtained in 1928, and urging a continuance of the effective help which has already been afforded to the company by all sections of the staff.

LOCOMOTIVES.

As regards repairs, the rationalisation of the works, to which I have previously referred, is now yielding even more striking results. I spoke two years ago of twelve days as the new record time for a locomotive out of traffic for heavy repairs, and can now report that this has been halved. At one time, at Crewe, for example, men spoke of months, where they now break records in hours. Thus, a particular type in 1920 took two-and-a-half months, in 1925 five-and-a-half weeks, in 1927 twelve days, and in 1930 forty-seven working hours. This remarkable result, which, so far as I know, has not been beaten anywhere in the world, is only possible through a high level of co-operation between management, foremen and workmen. You will have seen from the statistical statement that the number of engines under or awaiting repair has fallen from 1,958 to 554 in six years, and this reflects the great progress made from a technical and organisation point of view.

The carriage and wagon works are also holding their place as foremost exponents of modern factory methods.

STEEL SLEEPERS.

Public attention has been much directed of late to the subject of the use of steel sleepers.

Many of you may know that the experimental adoption of steel sleepers on the railways in this country dates back 50 years, but so far as the lines embraced in the L.M.S. group are concerned, these early sleepers have, with few exceptions, been taken from the track and put into sidings or scrapped, the results and experience of them having demonstrated that certain disadvantages, as compared with wooden sleepers, were associated with their use.

More recently the question of steel as opposed to the wooden sleeper has forced itself prominently to the front by reason of:—

(a) The threatened shortage of Baltic timber;
(b) The depressed condition of the British steel industry;

and, in common with the other railway companies, your Board has authorised further substantial tests to be made.

The question is not, of course, wholly one of the reduction of unemployment, and must remain essentially an economic one, involving consideration of the comparative costs and lives of steel and wood sleepers, and other comparative suitabilities in view of the growing developments in track circuiting and other electric track appliances designed for still further ensuring safety and the general problem of electrification.

When the results of research and deliberations by the British railway technical officers with the representatives of the National Federation of Iron and Steel Manufacturers are known, we shall be in a better position to decide the future policy as to their extended use.

MAIN LINE ELECTRIFICATION.

Electrification has been engaging the attention of the Government, and you will be aware that in view of the progress which is being made towards widespread availability of high tension electrical energy, they have appointed a committee of three, Lord Weir (Chairman), Sir Ralph Wedgwood and Sir William McLintock, to consider and report upon the economic and other aspects of the electrification of the railway systems in Great Britain, with particular reference to main line working.

It is not the intention, however, that the inquiry shall in any way interfere with, or delay any particular schemes of suburban or other electrification which may be otherwise under consideration. While it is easy to over-state or over-estimate the possibilities of main line electrification, we propose to assist the Committee in every way possible to arrive at sound conclusions upon the prospects.

It is more hazardous than ever to indulge in prophecy as to the industrial prospects of the country, on which the fortunes of our company are so greatly dependent. We are handicapped by three important factors: first, unexampled depression in the staple trades; second, severe road competition selecting particularly the more highly rated traffics which have in the past made an important contribution to net receipts; and, third, a range of rates and fares round about 50 per cent. higher than before the war, against a range of labour costs greatly in excess of this figure. We have fought these handicaps by the economies of reorganisation and constant overhaul of operations and processes. So effective have these been that a revival of trade in our area that may seem merely fractional on the national figures as a whole would suffice to restore a more attractive return upon the company's Ordinary stock.

Ladies and gentlemen, I now beg to move—"That the report now read, with the statements of accounts, be received and adopted."

I shall ask the Deputy Chairman to second that resolution, and then I shall be pleased to hear any comments which shareholders may desire to make.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

JOHN C. PARKES AND SONS.—4 per cent. (9 3-5d. per share) on Ordinary for year 1929.

BARKER BROS., SILVERSMITHS.—A dividend on Preference Shares at the rate of 7½ per cent. per annum for one year and six months ended June 30th, 1926, less tax; forward £6,410.

BRITISH TOBACCO CO., AUSTRALIA.—An interim dividend of 3 per cent., payable March 31.

EVANS, SONS, LESCHER AND WEBB.—A full year's dividend on the 6 per cent. Preference Shares, and a full year's dividend of 6 per cent. on Ord. Shares, less tax, the first-to be paid; forward £2,913.

CELANESE CORPORATION OF AMERICA.—Report for the year ended 31st December, 1929, states that the company has continued to progress steadily throughout the year, in spite of various price reductions and the continued general depression in the textile industry. The profit and loss and surplus account shows that the net profit was $5,076,564.80, as compared with $4,012,895.14 for the preceding year. During the year regular dividends paid or declared were approximately $225,000 more than in the previous year. In addition to making provisions deemed adequate for taxes, depreciation, inventory, adjustment and doubtful accounts receivable the Board has decided to appropriate from the year's profit $150,000 as a reserve for contingencies, leaving $1,111,342.50 to be carried to surplus, or 50 per cent. in excess of the amount carried to surplus in 1928. The total earned surplus, including that of previous years, is, therefore, $3,111,759, whilst the shipments of many products have largely increased as compared with last year, the inventories have decreased. The productive capacity of the factories is being substantially increased. Attention is drawn in the report to the fact that in spite of the many announcements and rumours put forth from time to time during the last years concerning the plans of other interests to imitate the company's products, we are not informed of any which have yet succeeded economical production. This is one of the main reasons why the company has not thought it necessary to consider taking any steps to prosecute patent infringements, as in the present actual state of the attempted developments of other interests it would be a waste of money and time, but the company is watching the position closely and at the right time, at its own chosen convenience, it will consider taking whatever action may be necessary to protect its interests.

CITY PROPERTY INVESTMENT TRUST.—Final dividend on Defd. shares of 10 per cent., less tax, making 14 per cent. for year. (As last year.)

CLAYTON DEWANDRE CO.—Dividend of 2½ per cent., less tax, on Ord. shares.

COCKSHUTT PLOW AND CO.—Quarterly dividend of 37½ cents per share on Common Shares.

DOMINION BANK.—Usual quarterly dividend of 3 per cent., being at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum, declared for quarter ending March 31st, 1930.

ENFIELD CABLE.—Although 100,000 new Ordinary shares were issued in March, 1929, the Enfield Cable Co. is able to increase the dividend for 1929 from the equivalent of 20 per cent. (30 per cent. for a period of 18 months to the end of 1928) to 25 per cent. The interim dividend was 10 per cent., and the balance distribution is 10 per cent., plus a bonus of 5 per cent. The 100,000 Ordinary shares issued about a year ago were offered to shareholders at £2 each in the proportion of two for every five held. A further issue is now proposed of 50,000 shares at the same price, but in the proportion of one for every seven held. With the new shares the issued Ordinary capital will be raised to £400,000, while there are 200,000 7½ per cent. Cumulative Preference shares all of £1 each.

FIFE COAL.—A dividend of 8 per cent. on Ord. Shares, free of tax; forward £80,928.

J. B. BROOKS AND CO.—Final dividend on Ord. Shares of 10d. per share, less tax, making a dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum for sixteen months ended December 31st, 1929. For the year to August 31st, 1928, the dividend was 7½ per cent.

LAW LAND CO.—Final dividend at rate of 10 per cent. per annum, making 9 per cent. for year.

NORTH BRITISH LOCOMOTIVE.—Dividend on Ord. shares of 2½ per cent., less tax (as last year); sum of £80,000 has been transferred from reserve fund (last year £50,000 was taken from reserve).

PENNSYLVANIA WATER AND POWER.—Dividend on Common shares of 34¼ per share for quarter.

RIVET, BOLT AND NUT.—Dividend of 8 per cent., less tax. (Last year dividend was 10 per cent., but since then there has been a one-in-four scrip bonus.)

SLAZENGERS.—Report to 31st December, 1929, states that the net trading profits for the year amount to £29,238. After charging income tax, amounting to £4,369, there remains a balance of £24,868. Deducting the Preference dividend to December 31st, 1929, paid on July 15th, 1929, and January 15th, 1930, at 6 per cent., free of income tax, £6,000, there remains an available balance of £18,868; amount carried to general reserve—being 10 per cent. of £29,238 as per Clause 115 of Articles of Association—£2,923, leaving £16,045. Add balance brought forward from last account £12,769, making £28,814, out of which it is proposed (a) to pay a dividend on the Ordinary shares to December 31st, 1929, of 7½ per cent., less income tax, £15,174; (b) to allocate to Staff Welfare Fund £500, leaving a balance to be carried forward of £13,140. With the amount of £2,923 which is carried to the general reserve this fund now stands at £111,550.

SHROPSHIRE, WORCESTERSHIRE AND STAFFORDSHIRE ELECTRIC POWER.—The following dividends in respect of the year ended 31st December, 1929:—"A" Ordinary shares, final dividend of 4 per cent. (actual), making 8 per cent. for the year; "B" Ordinary shares, dividend of 7½ per cent. for the year, both subject to deduction of tax.

STORY AND CO.—Dividend at 15 per cent. on Ord. shares. (Same.)

SILVER AND EDGINGTON.—Dividend of 7½ per cent.; same forward £1,746, against £1,770.

THIRD GUARDIAN TRUST.—A final dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, less tax, on the Cumulative Preference Stock, and a final dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, less tax, on the Ordinary Stock, making 5 per cent. for the year ending March 15 next.

UNITED TOBACCO CO. (SOUTH), LTD., CAPETOWN.—At the rate of 8 per cent. per annum for six months on issued Preference shares, and an interim dividend of 6d. per share on issued Ordinary and Deferred-Ordinary shares, all free of South African normal income tax, payable on March 31st.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

HOSPITALS AND SWEEPSTAKES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—With reference to the bill to legalise sweepstakes in aid of the Dublin hospitals, I am directed to say, in case of any misapprehension in the matter, that the governors and guardians of this hospital have taken no part in promoting the bill, neither have they been consulted with regard to it.—Yours, etc.,

E. D. F. BANKES, Secretary.

Dr. Steevens's Hospital, Dublin,
February 28th, 1930.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—When staying in a village in Essex last summer, I was invited to attend a meeting of the League of Mercy. I heard there of a society, founded by King Edward VII. in 1899, to encourage honorary service in the maintenance of voluntary hospitals. During the thirty years of its existence this society has raised £540,000 for hospitals, mainly through small subscriptions of 1s. a year, all sums collected being devoted wholly to the hospitals without any deduction whatever.

Its organisation is quite simple. Presidents and women presidents are appointed in every district; then vice-presidents, members, honorary members and associates are secured. A vice-president subscribes a guinea a year and enlists members. A member secures every year either (a) at least twenty subscribers of 1s. or upwards, termed associates; or (b) subscriptions to the amount of 20s. or upwards. Honorary members do not collect, but subscribe a guinea, or more, yearly. As a collector, I can testify to the ready generosity of the less well-to-do. It is only necessary to ask in order to get. The five Dublin hospitals, being non-sectarian, stand in a particularly strong position, from the collector's point of view.

Is there any reason why a similar league should not succeed in Dublin? The name might be bettered; but the idea is sound, having stood the test of thirty years' proving, and might bring in eventually even more than sweepstakes, without causing offence to any.—Yours, etc.,

"A COLLECTOR."

Co. Dublin, February 28th, 1930.

IRISH CHURCH PROPERTY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—As the subject of the endowments of the Church of Ireland has recently been raised in your columns, will you allow me to say that, wherever they originally came from, they were all confiscated by the State by the Act of Disestablishment in 1869, with the exception of the churches and churchyards then in use, and of £500,000 in lieu of recent gifts? Whatever endowments the Church of Ireland possesses to-day she owes to the loyalty and generosity of her sons and daughters, and to the wise and careful finance of the Representative Church Body. If the ancient endowments came from the plundered lands of Irish chieftains and monasteries and convents, it is Maynooth College, not the Church of Ireland, which is enjoying them to-day. Every boy and girl who gains a prize in the Intermediate examinations also gets a share in the plunder—and I do not know how many other people besides.

As to proselytism based on bribery, there is a form of it rampant in Ireland, against which I have been protesting for twenty years. If a Protestant man or woman wishes to marry a Roman Catholic, they are compelled to sign away the religion of their children as the price of getting a dispensation to marry the person they love. No Protestant clergyman would dream of imposing such a condition. The religion of the children is a matter for the parents to settle between themselves, without outside interference. The Constitution and laws of the Irish Free State are perfectly just and fair in this matter. Would that all parties would observe them!—Yours, etc.,

DUDLEY FLETCHER.

St. Laserian's, Old Leighlin,
February 28th, 1930.

MONEY-LENDERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—"Borrower's" letter in your issue of the 27th inst. should certainly give cause for thought, especially to those who are responsible for the Money-lenders Bill. It is obvious that this bill has been based on the supposition that all money-lending transactions are usurious and that all who borrow money are of the poorer class and of gullible nature. It must not be forgotten that wealthy and middle-class people often prefer to obtain an advance from a money-lender rather than enter into negotiations with a bank, and although the interest charged on overdrafts is not by any means high, the conditions of the transaction with a bank are such as to ensure 100 *per cent.* security to the lender.

Several limited companies here, engaged in the money-lending business, pay considerable sums in income tax to the State as a result of income derived from transactions inside and outside Ireland. Their business is conducted with reputable clients, and their transactions are completed with just as much regularity as those of any other business concern—the only difference being that cash is sold instead of goods. It is, therefore, regrettable that the position of this type of financier is being ignored, as it is perfectly clear that, if the carrying on of any business were restricted by law in the manner in which the Government proposes to legislate for money-lenders, it could not survive. Every concern with something to sell—be it cash or goods—should have the right to advertise as much as possible, provided that such advertisements are not misleading; and legislation prohibiting circularising and doing business by post, when applied to reputable money-lending firms of long standing, is tantamount to unfair treatment.—Yours, etc.,

"FAIR PLAY."

Dublin, February 28th, 1930.

A FRENCH RAID.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Every one of the few French people who enjoy Irish hospitality will shrink at the horrid deed of that French trawler; but has her nationality been ascertained in a manner that leaves no room for doubt? The reason for this question is that French ocean-going trawlers fish well away to the west of Ireland and are seldom seen near the coast; and they are not interested in lobsters as a rule. Had it been a small sailing boat from Brittany, the matter would have seemed less unlikely and less serious.—Yours, etc.,

R. VOVELLE.

Dublin, February 28th, 1930.

"THE ART OF GENERALSHIP."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In his remarks on "The Art of Generalship" your reviewer says that it is difficult to say why the greatest of all British generals, Marlborough, was left out. I might have included him, and possibly the Black Prince and King Henry V., if I could have connected their exploits usefully with our Great War experiences. One of the objects of my book was to show how we might have profited better by the examples of the past, demonstrated for us by great exponents of war; and no military lesson before Napoleon's day seemed to me to be of any value for my purpose. Napoleon initiated the military epoch in which we have lived, and which may now, perhaps, with the advent of the air medium, mechanisation and gas, be giving place to another. Marlborough belonged to another age altogether, when national and private character were very different from those now existing.—Yours, etc.,

C. O. HEAD, Lieutenant-Colonel.

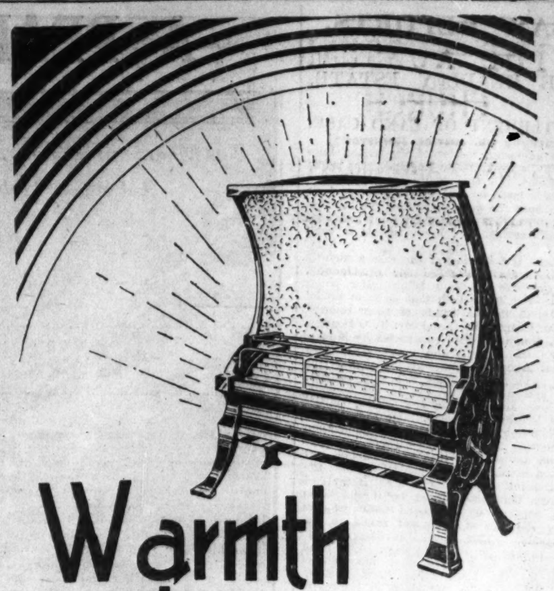
Shrewsbury, February 27th, 1930.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Saturday, March 1.

Irish Land Commission, Examiner's Chambers, at 95 Merrion square, before Mr. Grove White, at 11 o'clock—Holding of Rev. Thomas Murtagh.

The statement of accounts submitted at the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Sligo, Leitrim and Northern Counties Railway Co. showed an increase in the nett income of £150. The directors recommended a dividend of 2 per cent. on the Debenture shares.



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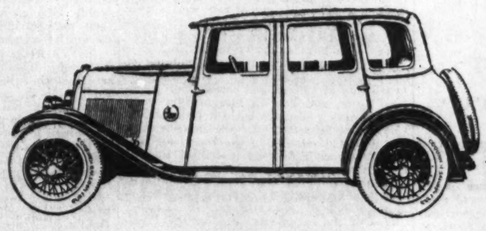

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LAW REPORTS.

THE HEADLEY ESTATE.

SETTLEMENT OF LAND CASE.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON.)

The adjourned matter of Sir Roland Lord Headley, a bankrupt (in England), was before the Court. In this matter an application had been made by the Official Assignee for a ruling upon the question of how the holdings of ten tenants on the Headley estate, situated at Rathcommane, Co. Kerry, should be dealt with.

At the last hearing of the case a number of the tenants attended for examination, two or three of them being under police escort. The tenants on that occasion placed themselves in the hands of their counsel, Mr. M. Comyn, K.C., and Mr. T. O'Donnell.

Mr. Hamilton, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Miley and Miley), who appeared for the Official Assignee, now stated that a settlement, which he thought was very satisfactory and most favourable to the tenants, had been arrived at in the matter, subject to his lordship's approval. He had received the following statement from the Land Commission on the subject:—"The Land Commission are satisfied that the occupiers will be in a better position financially under the arrangement to purchase at £900 from Lord Headley than they would be if the lands were acquired by the Land Commissioners under the Act of 1923 and resold to the occupants. The Land Commission would have to pay for the fee-simple. The Land Commission have no present intention of acquiring the land. The Land Commission did not make any claim in respect of the annuities under the original advances made under the Act of 1885. The unpaid balances of the advances have been written off by the Public Loan Act of 1918."

Mr. Comyn, K.C., on behalf of the tenants, said that they were willing to pay £900 within a fortnight on getting each a fee-simple conveyance of the property, subject only to a tithe rent charge of £3 17s. 8d.

Mr. Justice Johnston made an order in the terms of the settlement mentioned, directing that the communication from the Land Commission should be filed in court.

BALLINA ROAD COLLISION.

JUDGMENT FOR MOTORIST.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE AND A JURY.)

The hearing of the three actions for damages arising out of a collision between a motor car and an omnibus on the road from Ballina to Sligo on the 9th of last April was resumed. It had been ordered by the Court that the three actions should be tried together, the question of liability to be determined in the first action, which was brought by Thomas Joseph Feeney, of Market street, Sligo, against the Irish Omnibus Company, Ltd., Dublin. He claimed damages for personal injuries and the destruction of his motor car, alleging negligence on the part of the driver of the defendant company's omnibus.

Mrs. Abbitress Higgins claimed damages against the Irish Omnibus Company, Ltd., and against Thomas Joseph Feeney for the death of her husband; Daniel Irwin Higgins, of O'Connell street, Sligo, and Francis Higgins, of Leckfield, Skreen, Co. Sligo, claimed damages against the same defendants for personal injuries. Daniel Higgins and Francis Higgins were passengers in Feeney's car.

The jury found in favour of the plaintiff Feeney, and assessed damages at £1,500.

Mr. Justice O'Byrne gave judgment for this plaintiff accordingly, and, on the application of Mr. Denning, granted a stay of execution for fourteen days.

The hearing of the other two actions was adjourned.

SALE OF A FARM.

STORY OF HURRIED AUCTION.

In the Dublin Bankruptcy Court yesterday, in the matter of Bernard O'Beirne, a bankrupt, who held a farm of about 46 acres at Graigullagh, near Elphin, Co. Roscommon, and who was adjudicated on the 15th June, 1927, Mr. Joseph Ennis, manager of the Carrick-on-Shannon Branch of the Northern Bank, was examined by Mr. T. A. Finlay (instructed by Messrs. Horan and Devine) for the assignees.

He said that the bank had a charge amounting to £700 on the bankrupt's farm. A sale of the farm was advertised to take place at the suit of the Land Commission at the Courthouse, Elphin, at 1 o'clock on February 12th this year. On the instructions of his directors, he went to the Court-house with the intention of bidding for the farm, but when he arrived there with a colleague, Mr. Farrell, he saw no sign of a sale. They went to the office of Mr. Fagan, the auctioneer, and told him that they had come for the sale of O'Beirne's land. The auctioneer's clock was at 25 minutes to one when, in fact, the correct time was one o'clock. The auctioneer said that they had 25 minutes to wait, and the witness and Mr. Farrell went away.

When they went back to the Court-house the auctioneer told them that the sale was over. The witness asked him to re-open the sale, and he replied that he could not do so, as Mr. Connellan, the solicitor, who had bid on behalf of Patrick O'Beirne, a brother of the bankrupt, would not allow him.

Mr. James Fagan, the auctioneer, stated that he believed that his clock was correct. He was told that Mr. Connellan was in Boyle that day, and that he would not be back until 3 o'clock. However, Mr. Connellan arrived at about one o'clock. The sale went on, and Mr. Connellan's bid of £75, on behalf of Patrick O'Beirne, was accepted.

Asked why he went on with the sale in the absence of Messrs. Ennis and Farrell when he knew that they were prospective bidders, the witness said that Mr. Connellan told him to go on with it as the day was cold, and he wanted to get down to his office.

Mr. Finlay—Did Mr. Ennis say to you, "This thing is a plant?"—He said something about my deceiving him.

The Judge—You are an extraordinary auctioneer.

Mr. Finlay—What did you say to him when he said it was a "plant"?—I said I could do nothing for him, and that the sale was over.

At the close of the examination the judge said that this was a matter for the Land Commission to look into.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

ALLEGED THEFT OF LEAD.

CHARGES AGAINST A COAL HAWKER.

(BEFORE MR. LITTLE.)

Thomas Jordan, coal hawker, of Upper Rutland street; John Ward, same address, of no business, and Richard Byrne, Great Charles street, of no business, were charged with conspiring to steal from the roof of St. George's Schools, Lower Sherrard street, a quantity of sheet lead, eight feet by four feet. They were further charged with damaging the roof of the school, and Jordan was charged with having the lead illegally in his possession.

The case was adjourned for a week.

"CASE FOR N.S.P.C.C."

WIFE'S STORY OF DOMESTIC TROUBLES.

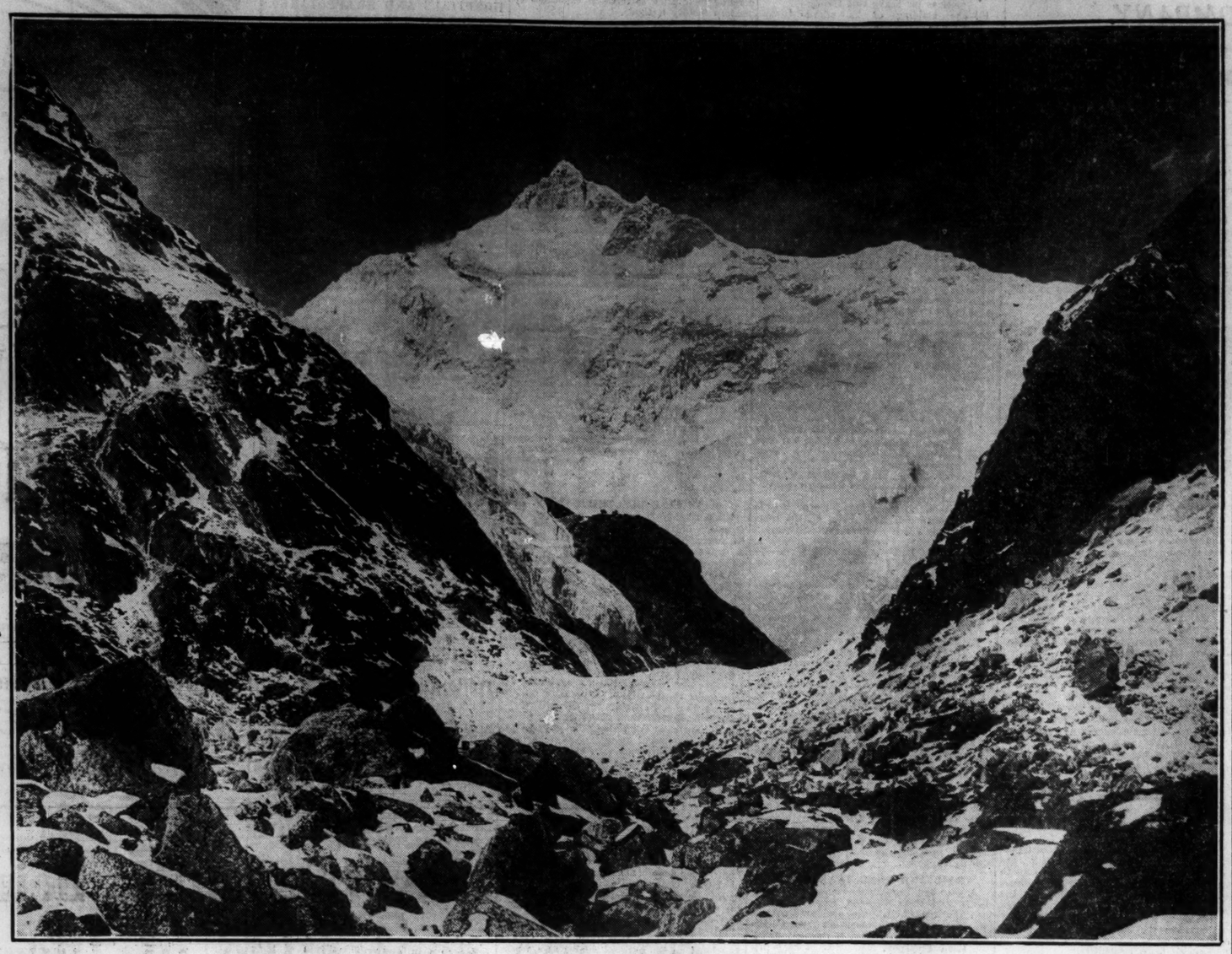
When he had heard the evidence of the wife in a case in which a middle-aged man, named Stephen Delaney, was charged with assaulting his mother-in-law, Ellen Scott, at her house in Aungier street on the previous day, the Justice dismissed the charge, saying that he had come to the conclusion that the case was one for the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

Mrs. Delaney said that her husband, to whom she had been married for four years, was brutal to her, would not work, and threatened her whenever she asked him for money. He had "put her in the union twice." Now he left her to look after herself and their child. When it was a baby he declined to give her the price of milk for it.

The defendant, giving evidence, denied the assault. His mother-in-law, he said, did not want him to see the child, and was the cause of all the trouble. She and his wife would not let him keep a job.

PHARMACEUTICAL PRELIMINARY.
Jan., 1930. Mr. Patrick Daffy, FIRST PLACE and the only Honours awarded.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, 5 Gardiner's Row. —(Advt.)

A PEAK THAT HAS NEVER BEEN CLIMBED.



**THE SOUTHERN FACE OF KANCHENJUNGA—At the end of next month or the beginning of May a mountaineering expedition, which includes famous climbers of five nations, and will be the strongest mountaineering expedition that has ever visited the Himalayas, will attempt the ascent of Kanchenjunga, the second highest peak in the world. This photograph shows the Southern wall of Kanchenjunga, which is 28,150 feet high; it was taken from the 16,436 feet high Pass of Guicha La, eight miles away. At the base of the wall are shattered glaciers, each 14,000 feet to 15,000 feet high, and, because of these and other huge hanging glaciers, steep ice slopes and periodical avalanches of rock, there is little hope of a successful assault from this side. Accordingly the line of assault will be made from the opposite side of the peak. Two previous attempts—one in 1905 and one in 1929—both failed. The first party met with an accident, three of their number being swept away by an avalanche, and the second had to give up the assault at 24,600 feet.—*Photograph by Signor Selli.*

THE MEMBERS OF THE EXPEDITION—Left: Mr. F. S. Smythe (Great Britain). Top Row: Herr Richter (Germany), Signor Enrico Gaspari (Italy), Frau Dyhrenfurth (Germany), wife of the leader; Herr Hoerlin (Germany), Herr Schneider (Austria). Bottom Row: Herr Wieland (Germany), Herr Duvanel (Switzerland) and Herr Kurz (Switzerland). Right: Professor G. O. Dyhrenfurth (Germany), who will lead the expedition.

YESTERDAY IN DAIL EIREANN.

"GAG" USED IN DUBLIN BILL DEBATE.

CITY MEMBERS NOT HEARD.

SPEAKER'S RULING RAISES A STORM.

SECOND READING CARRIED.

Mr. MACENTEE (F.F., Dublin Co.) resumed the debate on the second reading of the Local Government (Dublin) Bill. Supporting the amendment moved by Mr. O'Connell (Labour, Mayo, S.) to reject the bill, he said the Minister had ignored altogether the recommendations of the Greater Dublin Commission. He had pitted his own intellect against the combined intelligence of men with a wide knowledge of this subject, and as far as he (Mr. MacEntee) knew the Minister had never served on a local authority in his life.

The great majority of the inhabitants of the proposed coastal borough spent their time in the City of Dublin, and earned their livelihood there, and how in face of that could they possess a separate outlook from Dublin City. The Minister's attitude in restricting the growth of Dublin in the Dun Laoghaire and Blackrock directions resembled that of the Chinese, who cramped the development of their children's feet, and of the South American Indians, who cramped the development of their children's heads.

One of the arguments used by the President and the Minister against the inclusion of Blackrock and Dun Laoghaire in Greater Dublin was that these places had separate water supplies and drainage. They had so many examples in recent years of the difficulties of meeting the needs of the people, because of the diversified control of drainage and water that the reason given by the President and the Minister for the separate Coastal Borough were really reasons for one authority administering to the needs of the people of Blackrock and Dun Laoghaire, Rathmines, and the City of Dublin as it now stood.

CITY COMMISSIONERS' FUTURE.

They had been told by Deputy Tierney that there were subtle reasons for the setting up of the Coastal Borough which could not be more obvious to the House. He (Mr. MacEntee) suggested that the subtle reasons were the necessity of providing for the three persons who had been ruling the City of Dublin for the past few years. One of them would get the big prize of the managership of Dublin. Another would get the smaller prize of the managership of the Coastal Borough. That left one unprovided for. Why was it that the bill excluded Howth, Baldoyle, Sutton, Raheny, Artane and other areas which the Greater Dublin Commission recommended should be brought under the Greater Dublin authority? He suggested that one of the reasons why Section 87 had been introduced into this bill was to award to the third Commissioner the consolation prize of ruling over the Borough of Howth when it was eventually established.

He ridiculed the suggestion that the City Council had control over the City Manager because they had control of the purse.

Mr. SHEEHY (Government, Cork W.)—They would be in a bad way in Cork only for the Ford purse.

Mr. MacENTEE said that the Manager would be appointed by the Minister, and his salary would be fixed by the Minister, and he would be the creature of the Minister in everything in which there would be a conflict between the Minister and the Council. He went on to criticise the setting up of the commercial register, and said that the argument put forward in support of it, that these people were given special franchise because they were giving employment, fell to the ground immediately it was examined.

A BILL FOR COMMITTEE.

Captain REDMOND (N.L., Waterford) said that the whole trend of the debate had led him to the conclusion that this bill was essentially a bill for Committee. To his mind, the whole problem before the Minister was where to draw the line. Everyone knew that Ratmines and Pembroke were essentially portion of the City of Dublin, and would have been included years ago but for the fact that there was "wire-pulling," and that the House of Lords succeeded in frustrating the wishes of the majority of the citizens of Dublin. To oppose the inclusion of Rathmines and Pembroke in a bill extending the city boundary was like beating one's head against a wall.

He thought that it was possible that an amendment could be introduced in Committee to include in the new city boundary those townships which were now excluded, and that was all the more reason why they should proceed as soon as possible with the Committee stages.

As to the question of managerial control, he would prefer that all powers should be reserved to the Council, with the exception of those which would be definitely enumerated as powers which ought to be given to the Manager, because the supreme body and ultimate tribunal to deal with the affairs of the city should be the citizens of Dublin themselves. He approved of the suggestion of Dr. O'Higgins that where two-thirds of the Council considered that the Manager had not acted in accordance with their wishes there should be an appeal to the Minister.

PLEA FOR A NON-PARTY VIEW.

Pleading for the treatment of that measure as a non-party one, Captain Redmond said that they did not want to see the new Dublin Corporation indulging in political wrangles. They wanted to get it wholly and solely engaged in the management of municipal affairs, and when they were discussing a bill for the purpose of creating a body which was to be above party politics, surely they should be above party politics and should consider the bill wholely and solely on a non-political basis. He suggested that when this bill went to Committee the Government should allow the votes to be taken on these various non-political matters free from party ties, and that the members should be allowed to vote without the aid of the party whips. He was not in love with the restricted franchise, and would be prepared to support a proposal in Committee to modify, alter, or even abolish it.

Dr. HENNESSY (Govt., Dublin S.) said that Deputy MacEntee had occupied the time of the House for two hours in opposing this bill, but he could only compare the deputy's speech to a mountain in labour which brought forth a mouse. The objections of Rathmines and Pembroke to coming into this scheme were mainly the outcome of self-interest. It would be as reasonable to exclude Merrion square, Fitzwilliam square and St. Stephen's Green as to exclude Pembroke and Rathmines. He, who was a Rathmines ratepayer, believed that their services were not as good as the city services.

He thought that the exclusion of Dun Laoghaire had very properly been defended. They in Dublin might gain something by the inclusion of Dun Laoghaire, but it would be at the cost of Dun Laoghaire, and that would not be fair.

CITY MANAGER'S LIMITATIONS.

The City Manager would not have the powers attributed to him by the leader of the Fianna Fail party. The Manager's duties would be defined in detail by regulations which he hoped would be in accordance with this bill when it finally left the Oireachtas. Deputy MacEntee had said that the Minister would appoint and fix the salary of the Manager, and that for that reason the Manager would be a creature of the Minister. Apparently the deputy was not aware that the Minister had power to fix the salary of every clerk and official of urban councils and of dispensary doctors; yet it had never been heard that the object of the Government was simply to make these officials the Minister's creatures.

It was said that the Council had no right to demand information from the Manager, but there was provision in the bill dealing with that point, and also for the suspension of the Manager should he refuse to supply information.

The bill could not add to the pension list. The average pension for redundant officials would not be fifteen per cent. of their salaries, and that would mean a saving. It was very important to have the business interests represented on the Council; their representation would enhance the Council's borrowing powers. The bill was necessary, and was worthy of support.

Mr. BRISCOE (F.F., Dublin N.), referring to the commercial register, questioned whether the business community would get the benefits which an extended franchise was supposed to give them. The benefit would be largely misapplied; it would be employed principally by the multiple shops who gave little or no employment here.

He asked the Minister if he was prepared to accept amendments on three points—the franchise section, the powers of the Manager, and the coastal borough.

Mr. MULCAHY, Minister for Local Government—Not a single member or party will be allowed to run away from dealing directly with the principal points that are in the Bill.

Mr. BRISCOE—That settles it. I knew the Minister had made up his mind on these points.

Mr. MULCAHY said that no member would be given an excuse for not stating definitely what he wanted the area of Dublin City to be. The franchise and powers of the Manager could be dealt with in Committee.

Mr. BRISCOE said that ruled out amendments, because, he believed, that if the second reading was passed, amendments which he and other deputies might propose would be ruled out of order. He, therefore, asked deputies to vote against the second reading.

MR. BLYTHE MOVES THE CLOSURE.

OPPOSITION ATTACK ON THE SPEAKER.

As Mr. Briscoe sat down,

Mr. BLYTHE, Minister for Finance, rose and said:—I ask leave to move that the question be now put.

Mr. O.KELLY (F.F., Dublin N.) asked that other Dublin members should be allowed to speak on the motion.

The SPEAKER read the Standing Order that such a motion as Mr. Blythe's should be put without further discussion, unless the Speaker was of opinion that it infringed minority rights. He accepted the motion.

There were Labour and Fianna Fail protests, and Mr. LEMASS (F.F., Dublin S.) said: "It is perfectly scandalous; it is a partisan decision on your part."

The SPEAKER said that there was a simple way of testing whether his decision was partisan or not. The question was whether the House should be allowed to decide that the question be now put. A decision of the Chair refusing to do so would be a decision to over-ride Standing Orders.

Mr. HOGAN (Lab., Clare)—What about the rights of minorities—only two deputies from these benches have spoken?

Mr. LEMASS—The fact is that this has all been arranged with the Whips of Cumann na nGaedheal.

Mr. O'KELLY (to the Speaker)—It is a most outrageous and disgraceful judgment on your part.

DECISION KNOWN IN ADVANCE.

Mr. LEMASS—We know now how much your ruling is worth. This thing has been common talk in the lobby for the past two hours. Two hours ago the Government whips were told what the Chairman's decision was going to be on this question.

Mr. DAVIN—We were told in the lobby at one o'clock that this was going to be done.

Mr. O'KELLY—He is taking no risks that the Government will be defeated.

The SPEAKER then rang the order bell, amid continued interruptions, and put the closure motion, which was carried by 70 votes to 57.

The result was received with ironical cheers from the Fianna Fail and Labour benches.

Mr. DAVIN shouted, "More of the Jackboot Blythe—the prospective President."

Mr. ANTHONY (Labour, Cork Boro')—Oh, God forbid! (Laughter.)

SECOND STAGE PASSED.

HOW THE DEPUTIES VOTED.

Mr. O'Connell's amendment, declining to give the bill a second reading, was then put, and defeated by seventy-one votes to fifty-eight.

The voting on the amendment was as follows:—

FOR 58

FIANNA FAIL—Deputies Aiken, Allen, Blaney, G. Boland, P. Boland, D. Burke, Brady, Briscoe, Buckley, Carney, Carty, Colbert, Cooney, Corkery, Corry, F. H. Crowley, T. Crowley, Derrig, Fahy, Flinn, French, Gorry, Goulding, Houlihan, S. Jordan, Kent, Kerlin, Killalea, Kilroy, Lemass, Little, MacEntee, Moore, Mullins, O'Dowd, O'Kelly, M. O'Reilly, Powell, Ryan, Sexton, Sheehy (Tipperary), Smith, Tubridy, Walsh and Ward—45.

LABOUR—Deputies Anthony, Broderick, Colohan, Corish, Davin, Doyle, Everett, P. Hogan (Clare), O'Connell, Murphy, Morrissey—11.

INDEPENDENT—Deputies Alton and O'Hanlon—2.

AGAINST 71

GOVERNMENT—Deputies Aird, Beckett, Bennett, Blythe, Burke, Broderick, Byrne, Carey, Mrs. Collins-O'Driscoll, Conlan, Connolly, President Cosgrave, J. Crowley, Daly, Davis, De Loughrey, Doherty, Dolan, Doyle, Duggan, Dwyer, Egan, Esmonde, Fitzgerald, FitzGerald-Kenney, Hassett, Heffernan, M. J. Hennessy, Dr. T. H nessy, Hennigan, Kenry, Hogan (Galway), Holohan, Jordan, Keogh, Law, Leonard, Lynch, Matthews, MacDonagh, MacEoin, MacFadden, MacGilligan, Mongan, Mulcahy, Nally, Nolan, O'Connell, O'Connor, O'Donovan, O'Higgins, O'Leary, O'Mahony, O'Reilly, G. O'Sullivan, J. M. O'Sullivan, Reynolds, Rice, Reddy, T. Sheehy, Tierney, Dr. White, G. Wolfe—63.

INDEPENDENTS—Deputies Cole, Sir J. Craig, Haslett, Myles, Thrift, and J. T. Wolfe—5.

NATIONAL LEAGUE—Deputies Redmond and Coburn—2.

SPEAKER AGAIN ATTACKED.

When the main question was about to be put,

The SPEAKER, in reply to Deputies, said

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CONTRACTS.

SIR PATRICK DUN'S HOSPITAL, DUBLIN.

CONTRACTS.

Tenders will be received up to Monday afternoon, the 10th of March next, for the Supply of the following Goods for the twelve months commencing the 1st of April, 1930:—

1. Bread.
2. Butter.
3. Chandlery.
4. Drugs.
5. Eggs.
6. Fish, Fowl, etc.
7. Groceries.
8. Meat.
9. Provisions.
10. Stimulants.
11. Surgical Dressings, etc.
12. Vegetables.
13. Milk.
14. Coal Steam Slack; Coke.

Tenders must be on the prescribed forms, which may be obtained by application to the Registrar at the Hospital between 10 and 1 o'clock daily.

Proposers may tender for one or more of the items included in any of the schedules to the exclusion of the other items.

The Governors do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS
24th February, 1930.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN

FIRE INSURANCE.

The Commissioners of the County Borough of Dublin invite quotations for the Annual Premium for the Fire Insurance of the property of the Corporation.

Copies of particulars of the property of the Corporation, together with the conditions of the Insurance can be obtained at the Office of the City Treasurer, Exchange Buildings, Lord Edward street, Dublin, on payment of a fee of £1 1/- (one guinea), not returnable.

Quotations, in sealed envelopes marked "Fire Insurance," must be addressed to the Town Clerk, City Hall, and delivered on or before FRIDAY, 14th MARCH, 1930, at 12 noon.

GERALD J. SHERLOCK,
Town Clerk.

City Hall, Dublin,
28th February, 1930. OK-B.

GRANGEGORMAN MENTAL HOSPITAL.

TENDERS INVITED.

The Joint Committee invite Tenders for the following supplies to, and services at, Grangegorman Mental Hospital, Dublin, and Portrane Branch Mental Hospital, Donabate, Co. Dublin:—FOR SIX MONTHS (1st April to 30th September, 1930).

1. Beef and mutton. (Alternative tenders are invited for twelve months).
2. Flour and wholemeal.
3. Eggs, butter and margarine. (Alternative tenders for eggs are invited for twelve months).
4. Bacon, sugar, oatmeal, rice, cocoa, split peas, salt, and sundry groceries and mineral waters.
5. Fish, ice, and chickens.
6. Agricultural supplies (bran, cattle cake, artificial manures, milk cans, etc.).

FOR TWELVE MONTHS (1st April, 1930, to 31st March, 1931).

7. Yeast.
8. Soap and chandlery.
9. Delph and glassware.
10. Baskets and basket-making rods.
11. Brushes and brush-making materials.
12. Weaving yarns, finishing tweeds, etc.
13. Clothing materials, blankets, quilts, curled hair, towels, shirts, stockings, socks, hats and caps, waterproof goods and sundries.
14. Attendants' uniform, clothing and caps, and patients' suits.
15. Attendants', nurses', and patients' boots.
16. Leather and shoefindings.
17. Hardware, plumbing, steam fittings, etc.
18. Timber, cement, slates and building materials.
19. Paints, oils, turpentine and glass.
20. Purchase of old stores.
21. Delivery of milk per motor from Amiens street Railway Station to Grangegorman.
22. Cartage of coal, grains, provisions, and general supplies from Donabate Station to Portrane Mental Hospital.

Tenders for goods must be based on the supply of articles similar in every respect to the Joint Committee's standard samples, which may be inspected at the Storekeeper's Office, Grangegorman. (Samples of cotton, linen and woollen goods will be sent to manufacturers who apply for same.)

Printed Forms of Tender (none others will be considered) and information as to probable quantities, may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Grangegorman, but such information shall in no way bind the Joint Committee, who reserve the right to order a greater or lesser quantity of any article, or, if they see fit to do so, to cease ordering any article.

All contracts entered into by the Joint Committee shall be executed entirely by trade union labour.

Sealed Tenders (endorsed "Tenders for ——") will be received up to, but not later than, 12 o'clock, noon, Wednesday, 19th March, for consideration by the Joint Committee, at any time within ten days thereof. Late tenders will not be received or considered.

The Joint Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By Order,
JAMES J. DOYLE,
Chief Clerk and Accountant.
Grangegorman Mental Hospital, Dublin,
25th February, 1930.

EFFECTS OF A TARIFF.

SUGAR AND CONFECTIONERY TRADE.

The Irish Free State Minister for Industry and Commerce yesterday received a deputation from the sugar and confectionery trade concerning the operation of the tariffs and of the progress of the firms under its influence.

Mr. McGilligan, who was accompanied by Mr. R. C. Ferguson and Mr. Connell, of the Ministry, informed the members of the deputation that he was satisfied from the reports of his officials and from the figures given by the deputation that not one penny derived from the tariff had been contributed by the consumer. His officials had checked prices, and it had been found that they were the same in the Free State as—and in some cases lower than—prices obtaining across the water. In all cases where goods were imported the producer was paying the tariff and "dumping."

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.

RAZOR ATTACK ON SON.

OLD MAN'S CRIME DUE TO DRINK.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN.)

Charged with attempting to murder his son, Maurice, by slashing him with a razor on the 26th January last, and, on a second count, with wounding with intent to cause grievous bodily harm, Patrick Quinn, a man of seventy years, living at Castlematrix, Rathkeale, Co. Limerick, pleaded guilty to maliciously wounding, and this plea was accepted by the prosecution.

Evidence was given that the accused was a man of quiet disposition, but had taken to drink recently, and that the occurrence took place during one of his "fits of drunkenness."

"I think," said the judge, "you were well advised to plead guilty to the minor offence of unlawful wounding. If the case had gone before a jury you might well have been convicted on a much more serious charge. Taking all the circumstances into consideration, I think I am dealing very leniently with you in passing a sentence of twelve calendar months' imprisonment."

Mr. Vincent Rice, K.C. (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) prosecuted for the State, and Mr. Liston (instructed by Messrs. Liston, solicitors) appeared for the prisoner.

SHAMROCK FOR THE UNITED STATES.

Shamrock is not admitted into the United States of America unless the roots have been removed or the soil has been completely washed from them.

All growing or living plants are prohibited from transmission by post to the United States, and all postal packets containing shamrock are liable to examination. Any which contain plants capable of propagation will not be admitted.

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that he had decided nothing save that the closure motion was one that could be accepted under Standing Orders.

Mr. G. BOLAND (F.F., Roscommon)—You have also decided that Dublin Deputies are not entitled to speak on this bill. There are three Dubin Deputies who have not yet spoken, and who are entitled to be heard.

The SPEAKER said that he had not the function of deciding who was to speak. The House had come to a decision, and it was for him to carry it out.

Mr. LEMASS asked would the Speaker inform them what particular Standing Order gave him the authority to closure discussion on the main motion.

The SPEAKER said that it was the practice of the House.

Mr. LEMASS—Then there is no Standing Order. You are acting on your own initiative.

At this a further tumult broke out on the Fianna Fail benches, and Mr. Boland could be heard crying out that the Speaker was acting under the orders of the Government Party Whips. Mr. Lemass shouted that Mr. Duggan (the Government Whip) should be in the chair. Mr. O'Kelly yelled that the Speaker was "still the party tool of a party."

Mr. CARNEY (F.F., Donegal) said that the Chair's action was an insult to Dublin Deputies, and Mr. Lemass declared: "They have rubbed shoulders with Mussolini and are beginning to get a contempt for ordinary forms of democracy."

Amid continued uproar,

The SPEAKER put the question, and declared the second reading carried without a division.

The House adjourned until 3 p.m. on Wednesday next.

NEWS FROM THE PROVINCES.

KILLALOE FEIS.
At a meeting of the KILLALOE (County Clare) Feis Committee, it was decided to hold the annual Feis on July 13 next.

TIPPERARY FAT PIG MARKET.
At TIPPERARY fat pig market on Thursday the quotations were 79s. to 80s. per cwt., live weight, an increase of 3s. per cwt. as compared with last week's prices. There was a fair supply and a brisk demand.

CLARE BANKERS' DANCE.
The CLARE bankers' annual dance was held at ENNIS last Wednesday night. Close on one hundred couples attended. Mr. H. V. White, Bank of Ireland, was President of the Organising Committee, and Mr. E. S. Quinlan Hon. Secretary.

SHOOTING OUTRAGE.
When Michael and Denis Downes, of Lack East, KILMIHILL, were returning home from a card party two shots were fired at them from behind a hedge at Goulburn Bridge, but neither was struck by the pellets.

SUCCESSFUL DAIRYING.
The report of the MULLINAVAT Co-operative Creamery Society, Ltd., for the year 1929 showed a turn-over of £34,293 1s. 4d. and a net profit of £780 6s. 11d. The surplus of liquid assets over liabilities exceeds £2,000. Thanks was voted to Mr. N. McSweeney, manager, and staff.

COAST EROSION HAVOC.
ROSSLARE Tourist and Development Association has decided to ask Alderman Corish, T.D., Mayor of Wexford, to arrange with President Cosgrave for a date on which he will receive the deputation from the public bodies in regard to the damage caused by coast erosion.

CHARGE AGAINST BOOKMAKER.
At Clonmel yesterday, John B. O'Dowd, a bookmaker, of Innisfallen parade, DRUMCONDRA, was arrested on a charge of failing to produce a bookmaker's licence at Powerstown Park to Mr. A. P. Coghlan, Customs and Excise officer. The accused was remanded, on bail, to Clonmel Borough Sessions on March 10 next.

SYMPATHY.
County WEXFORD Committee of Agriculture, Wexford Branch of the British Legion, and the John E. Redmond Memorial Committee have passed votes of sympathy with Lady Maurice FitzGerald, Johnstown Castle, and Major M. L. Lakin, M.C., D.S.O., Master of the Wexford Hounds, on the death of Mrs. Lakin, who sustained fatal injuries while hunting last week.

EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE.
In the WEXFORD Circuit Court, Patrick Meyler, Wexford, pleaded guilty to the embezzlement of £70 received by him while in the position of income tax collector at Enniscorthy. On his behalf it was stated that he had paid £40, and assisted the State in the prosecution. Judge Devitt adjourned the case to the next sittings.

AFTER FIFTY YEARS.
For being in the possession of a private illicit still on February 19 last, a farmer, Patrick Cole, of Ardristan, Tullow, Co. Carlow, was fined £10 in the CARLOW District Court yesterday. Superintendent Flynn, representing the Civic Guard, said that there had not been a case of its kind in their district for the last forty or fifty years. Mr. Early, solicitor, pointed out that the defendant was not charged with manufacturing poteen.

DOCTOR'S DEATH IN CHINA.
The death has taken place in China, at the age of forty-four years, of Dr. Richard Perrott Hadden, M.C., second son of the late Alderman George Hadden and of Mrs. Hadden, Springfield, WEXFORD. He studied in Trinity College, being the winner of a Senior Moderatorship and the John Mallet Purser Medal. During the Great War he served as a captain in the R.A.M.C. in Gallopli, Palestine, Egypt and in France, and was for a short time with the Army of Occupation in Germany.

ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE.

DUBLIN LABORATORY RECEPTION.

The National University Engineering and Science Laboratories in Upper Merrion street, Dublin, were the scene of a big muster of citizens last evening, when nearly eight hundred persons were received by Dr. Coffey, President of University College, and Mrs. Coffey, and conducted around the spacious rooms by stewards, and given information regarding the various exhibits in electrical and mechanical engineering, applied physics, metallurgy, geology and botany.

Interesting demonstrations were carried out in the electrical engineering laboratory.

The No. 1 Army Band, under the conductorship of Lieutenant J. Doyle, played during the evening.

THE ATTENDANCE.
Among those present were:—Mr. Ernest Blythe, Minister for Finance; Mr. P. McGilligan, Minister for Industry and Commerce, and Mrs. McGilligan; Mr. M. Hayes, Speaker of the Dail, and Mrs. Hayes; Professor J. M. O'Sullivan, Minister for Education; Mr. Richard F. Browne, Chairman, Electricity Supply Board; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Murphy, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Kennedy, Major-General and Mrs. Sweeny, Major-General and Mrs. Brennan, Colonel Hogan, Colonel and Mrs. O'Connell, Mr. and Mrs. Joyce, Chief Justice Kennedy and Mrs. Kennedy, the Attorney-General and Mrs. Costello, the Hon. Gordon Campbell and Mrs. Campbell, Mr. D. O'Hegarty, Secretary to Executive Council, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McElligott, Mr. and Mrs. H. Friel, Mr. and Mrs. Meyrick, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ferguson, P. Walsh, M.A., Judge and Mrs. O'Brien, and Mrs. O'Brien, the Auditor-General (Mr. McGrath), General O'Duffy, Mr. and Mrs. Coogan, Mr. P. J. Hernon, Mr. G. Sherlock, Town Clerk; Mr. J. R. O'Neill, Chairman, and Mr. P. Murphy, Secretary, Dublin County Council; Mr. Colm Murphy, Clerk to the Dail, Mr. D. O'Sullivan, Clerk to the Senate; Mr. C. G. Stapleton, Mr. H. T. O'Rourke, Mr. G. P. Sheridan, Mr. John J. Robinson, Mr. Connor MacGinley, Mr. H. J. Molony, Mr. T. F. Bacon, Professor and Mrs. Purcell, Professor and Mrs. J. Taylor, Mr. J. W. Bacon, Professor and Mrs. Donovan, Professor and Mrs. McNeill, Professor and Mrs. Hugh Ryan, Professor and Mrs. John Nolan, Dr. and Mrs. Bayley Butler, Professor and Mrs. O'Farrell, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Moore, Dr. and Mrs. H. Meade, the Rev. J. C. O'Mahony, S.J.; the Rev. John Ryan, Dr. John King, Mr. J. J. Hogan, Miss Harnett, Mr. Myles Dillon, Dr. Joseph Alger, Miss Agnes O'Farrelly, the Rev. M. Egan, S.J.; Professor M. A. Degani, Mr. Edward Sheridan, Miss M. Hayden, Professor T. A. Finlay, Professor M. J. Ryan, Mr. George O'Brien, Mr. J. Coogan, Register Mr. O. J. Bergin, Dr. E. A. Macalister, the Rev. Professor O'Keeffe, the Rev. T. Corcoran, S.J., the Rev. J. Burke, the Rev. Monsignor Walsh, Captain J. C. Corbollis, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Warwick, Mr. P. Cormack, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Sherrard, Mr. R. G. Allen, Professor and Mrs. O'Farrelly, Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson, Dr. R. J. White, Mr. J. J. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. D. O'Connor, Professor and Mrs. Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Larchet, Professor Shields, and Mrs. Green.

THE MISSING WATERFORD POSTMAN.

TO-DAY'S COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The ten persons who are charged with the murder of Laurence Griffin, the postman, on the Stradbally-Kilmacthomas route, who vanished mysteriously on Christmas Day, and with conspiracy secretly to dispose of the body, were brought up at Ballybricken Prison yesterday, before District Justice McCabe, and formally remanded until to-day.

Our Correspondent learned yesterday that a grave in Kilrossanty Cemetery, Co. Waterford, which is seven miles from Stradbally, had been disturbed, but no exhumation has taken place.

CLONGOWES UNION DANCE.

There was a very jolly reunion in the Aberdeen Hall of the Gresham Hotel, Dublin, last night on the occasion of the annual dance of the members of the Clongowes College Union. The dancers numbered about 300 persons. Club banners and colours decorated the ballroom, and novel souvenir dance programmes were an added attraction. A splendid supper was served, and dancing was kept up until after 3 a.m. Mr. Stewart Barratt acted as hon. secretary.

"BRANDY OF NAPOLEON."

Messrs. Courvoisier & Co., Jarnac, Charente. Shippers of the famous "Brandy of Napoleon," have been granted the Royal Warrant to His Majesty King George V.

LONDON AGENTS: Simon Brothers & Co., Moet House, 15 Northumberland avenue.

AGENTS for IRELAND: N. McLoone & Co., Eustace street, Dublin; Linenhall street, Derry. —(Advt.)

PRODUCE AND FOOD MARKETS.

Birkenhead—Slow, dragging trade for Cattle and very slow for Sheep. Dublin—Butter supplies good and prices low for season; Eggs lower; Poultry firm; Vegetables ready sale; Fruit steady; Potatoes heavy and sales bad; Fish good demand; Grain small business; Hay dull trade; Straw quick sale. Rubber barely steady. Sharp fall in Tin.

CATTLE.

BIRKENHEAD.—A slow, dragging trade prevailed for the cattle on offer yesterday. Heifers made 9½d. to 9½d., bullocks 9d. to 9½d., cows and bulls 6d. to 7½d. A very slow trade was experienced for lambs at about late rates of 1/- to 1/2 per lb., all prices sinking the offal. On offer: 1,565 Irish cattle, and 370 lambs.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN.—Very little stir in business for Irish grain. White oats 11/3 to 12/3 per barrel, blacks 10/3 to 10/9 and 11/- per cwt.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (Baltic).—WHEAT cargoes firm in sympathy with higher overseas cables, Manitoba descriptions being advanced 6d. per quarter, and Plates and other sorts 6d., but business restricted. No. 1 Northern Manitoba, Pacific shipment afloat sellers 42/9, No. 2 do. 41/9; No. 2 Northern Manitoba, Vancouver shipment arrived 41/9; No. 4 Manitoba do. 40/9; white Pacific, March 40/6; South Australian, afloat 41/-. Parcels firmer, but trade quiet; No. 1 Northern Manitoba, Feb. sellers 44/6, No. 2 do. 43/7½, No. 3 42/6, No. 4 Manitoba 41/6, No. 5 do. 38/10½, No. 6 31/7½; No. 1 Northern Manitoba, Vancouver shipment afloat 43/3, No. 2 do. 42/-, No. 3 41/-, No. 4 Manitoba 40/3; Australian, afloat 41/-; choice white Karachi, May-June 41/5 per 480lb. Futures firmer on stimulating overseas cables and higher c.i.f. offers. Quotations at 1.15 p.m., per 480lb.:—New contract March 40/6, new contract April 37/3, May 37/8. MAIZE—Large market generally quiet, but prices held for 3d. per quarter advance, with sellers more reserved. Plate afloat, sellers 28/3, Feb. 25/6, March 25/6, April-May, also May-June, 26/-. Parcels firmer; Plate afloat, sellers 24/9, Feb.-March 24/10½, April-May 25/3, May-June 25/-, June-July 25/-; No. 2 white flat African, Feb.-March 27/-; No. 6 yellow do. 25/9; Bessarabian, April-May 24/6, per 480lb. BARLEY quietly steady. Parcels, Danubian March-April sellers 20/6; South Russian, Feb.-March 20/-; No. 3 Canadian Western do. 25/-; Karachi, May-June 26/- per 400lb. OATS inactive; Plate, March sellers 13/9, April 14/-; German on sample, prompt 12/- to 14/6 per 320lb.

MARK LANE CORN.—There was a good attendance of buyers at the week-end market, but trade proved quiet, prices being advanced in sympathy with the improvement of c.i.f. offers. WHEAT firmer. No. 1 Northern Manitoba Vancouver shipment ex ship 46/-, No. 2 ditto 44/9, No. 3 43/9, No. 4 Manitoba 43/-, No. 5 ditto Atlantic shipment 41/3, No. 6 ditto 34/3, No. 2 mixed Durum 38/9, No. 2 hard winter 42/9, Rosafe 65½ lb. arrived 40/9, Barusso 63½ lb. ex ship to arrive 40/9, Australian 43/- per 496 lb., English 8/2 to 8/5 per 112 lb. FLOUR steady. London straightrun 37/- per sack for country deliveries, and 36/- London area of imported Manitoba patents 34/6 to 37/6, Buffalo 36/- to 38/-, Australian 32/6 ex store on c.i.f. terms. Manitoba top patents February-March 34/6 to 35/-, export ditto 34/- to 34/6, Australian 30/6 to 31/-, French prompt 25/6 to 27/6 per 280 lb. Argentine low grade February-March 26 2/6 per ton. MAIZE firmer. Plate landed 26/9, ex ship arrived 26/9, February-March 26/-, March-April 26/-, new April-May 25/9, May-June 25/9 per 480 lb. Yellow maize meal 27 15/- per ton f.o.r. London, yellow African 26 7/6, white 26 2/6 per ton ex ship. BARLEY steady. Californian old landed 36/- to 42/-, new ex ship 36/- to 42/-, as to sample, Chilian brewing 36/- to 44/-, Chevalier 40/- to 44/-, Australian 40/- to 41/-, Smyrna 40/- to 41/- per 448 lb., English malting 7/- to 11/6, feed 6/3 to 6/6 per 112 lb. OATS dull. Plate landed 16/-, ex ship to arrive 15/-, black Plate landed 16/-, Chilian white 22/-, ditto tawny 16/6, German landed 17/-, ex ship to arrive 15/6, mixed Canadian feed 13/-, South Russian 14/6 to 16/-, as to quality, per 320 lb., English 5/6 to 6/8 per 112 lb. MILLERS' WHEATFEED quiet. Broad digestive bran 5/10½, middlings 5/1½, fine ditto 7/9, calcined 6/-, ground oats 8/9 ex mill per cwt., fancy Plate middlings March-April £4 16/3, Plate pollards afloat £3 16/3, March-April £3 16/3 per t.n. c.i.f. Oatmeal quiet. Flaked 16/-, rolled oats 15/- to 17/-, other cuts 12/9 to 13/3, as to quality, ex mill per cwt.

LIVERPOOL.—WHEAT—Better Argentine and American markets caused forward deliveries of wheat here to improve to a liberal extent during early trading, then receded and fluctuated moderately, finishing under the highest point, though making a liberal advance on the day. Wheat on the spot firm and dearer. Maize spot parcels quiet at 5 7½ to 5/8 per cental for River Plate. FLOUR quiet and easier in values. Graded wheat futures, after being 4d. to 1½d. per cental dearer, gave way and fluctuated fairly, the market eventually closing steady at 1d. to 1½d. over Thursday night.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—BACON—There were no alterations made in values at London or Manchester in the weekly revision of prices, and a steadier tone prevailed in Continental. Swedish being raised to 100/- to 104/-, and Dutch 99/- to 103/-, with a better inquiry, especially for Danish, Irish and American showing no change, but Canadian Wiltshire raised to 104/- to 108/- per cwt. HAMS and Shoulders quiet, without alteration in values. LARD on the spot quietly steady at recent currencies. CHEESE quiet, but steady, and BUTTER dull, though not quotably altered. EGGS quiet at 12/- to 12/6 per 120 for extra selected Irish hen, 11/3 to 11/6 selected, and 10/- to 10/6 for mediums, duck being nominal.

LONDON.—BUTTER—The market remained quiet for all descriptions, and, with large arrivals from New Zealand available, supplies were much in excess of requirements. A slight improvement in prices registered earlier in the week was not maintained, and, in common with the depressed state of most commodity markets, buyers were not disposed to operate beyond actual wants. Quotations:—New Zealand finest salted 145/- to 148/-, good to fine 134/- to 140/-, unsalted 156/- to 160/-; Australian finest salted 129/- to 142/-, good to fine 134/- to 138/-, inferior 128/- to 132/-, unsalted 128/- to 144/-; Argentine finest unsalted 140/- to 144/-, good to fine 134/- to 138/-, inferior 125 to 132/-; Danish 172/-, Dutch 177/- to 176/-, Polish 130/- to 136/- per cwt.; Dutch rolls 19/3 to 20/3, French ditto 23/- per dozen lb. CHEESE—English and Canadian descriptions moved off quietly at about late rates, but, with a continuance of heavy receipts from New Zealand, prices were shaded slightly to stimulate buying interest; Dutch dull and values easier for the lower grades; English finest farmers 112/- to 120/-, loaf 110/- to 126/-, good to fine 95/- to 108/- per cwt.; Stilton 1/4 to 1/8; Cheshire 1/1½ to 1/3 per lb.; Canadian coloured 92/- to 98/-, white 90/- to 100/-; New Zealand coloured 84/- to 86/-, white 84/- to 87/-; Australian coloured 82/- to 85/-, white 83/- to 86/- per cwt. BACON Leanest selections of Danish continue scarce and in demand, but otherwise the market presented dull features. Official quotations unaltered: Danish killings for the week 90,000. Irish 114/- to 136/-, Danish 106/- to 112/-, Swedish 100/- to 106/-, Canadian 106/- to 108/-, Dutch 93/- to 105/-, Ukranian 88/- to 91/-, Russian 84/- to 88/-, Polish 82/- to 92/-, Latvian 86/- to 92/- per cwt. HAMS quietly steady; American long cut 99/- to 102/6, short 100/- to 104/-, English, as to weight, 165/- to 220/- per cwt. LARD dull; American boxes 53/6 to 57/3, pails 60/9, cartons 1lb. 61/9, ½lb. 63/3, Danish bladders 64/-, boxes 53/-, Irish bladders 78/- to 84/- per cwt. EGGS—Market dull and prices continue weak on liberal supplies. Quotations—English national marked specials 17/-, standards 15/- to 15/6, pullets 14/- to 14/6, ungraded 14/6 to 15/-, Irish Free State extra selected 13/-, selected 12/3, medium 11/-, Northern Ireland specials 16/-, standards 15/-, selected 13/-; Danish range from 10/6 to 14/6, Dutch all brown 10/6 to 15/-, mixed 11/- to 12/-, Belgian 10/6 to 11/6, French all brown 12/6 to 13/6, mixed 10/6 to 11/-, Normandy 10/9 to 11/6, Polish 6/- to 8/6, Egyptian 5/6 to 6/-, Swedish 11/6 to 13/6, Chinese 6/9 to 11/6 per 120.

MANCHESTER BUTTER.—Danish official quotation wired unchanged. Too now stands at 384 kroner per 100 kilos, against 310 corresponding period last year. Spot market firm and favouring sellers for Scandinavian descriptions, but Colonials quiet. Choicest qualities quoted:—Danish 174/- to 176/-, special claims extra; Finnish 155/- to 157/-, Swedish 154/- to 156/-, New Zealand 148/- to 150/-, Australian 147/- to 148/-. BACON—No official changes recorded in any cure, but Irish continues scarce and dear. General quotations:—Irish sides nominal, North of Ireland rolls 130/- to 135/-, according to weight and cure; Danish 106/- to 112/-, Swedish 100/- to 106/-, Dutch 96/- to 102/-. LARD firmer. English refined 61/-, boxes wholesale, American 55/3 to 55/9, according to brand. CHEESE—Finest Cheshire scarce and dear, but late makes plentiful and have to be sold at value. Colonial quietly steady. New Zealand white 89/- to 90/-, coloured 88/- to 89/-, fancy white Canadian 96/- to 97/-. EGGS quiet, practically no Continental descriptions offering, owing to strong competition from abroad. Irish extra selected offered at 12/-, selected 11/6, mediums 10/6, ducks 17/-. Northern Irish 17 lb. specials 14/-, 15½ lb. 13/6, 14lb. 12/6. Polish blues 8/9, Egyptians 6/-.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—Vegetables in good supply, and demand equal. York cabbage 20/- to 40/- per load, Savoy 20/- to 35/-, an l 40/- per load; Swede turnips 1/3 to 1/6 and 1/8 per cwt.; mangolds 1/4 to 1/6 per cwt., sprouts 2/6 per float, to 3/6, also 5/- per half-bushel; celery 2/6 to 4/6 per dozen, and extra large 5/- to 7/- per dozen; rhubarb 3/- to 4/- per dozen, cauliflowers 3/3 to 4/6 and 5/- per dozen, carrots 1/6 to 2/-, beet 1/6 to 2/- per dozen, lecks 2/- to 3/- per dozen, parsnips 1/6 per dozen, 4/- to 5/- per bag; turnips 5d. to 7d. per bunch, thyme 2d. per bunch, parsley 6d. to 1/- per tray, 2/- to 2/6 per bag; lettuce 1/6 per dozen. Irish apples 1/6 to 2/6 per tray, 5/- to 7/- per bag, 10/- to 16/- per barrel. In the foreign section—Apples, Newtons 18/- to 22/- per case, delicious 19/- per case, wine saps 14/- to 17/- per case, Yorks 38/- per barrel, russets 40/- per barrel, Albemarle 45/- to 50/- per barrel; oranges, Jaffas 17/- to 18/- per box, 200/240's 20/-, 300/360's 12/- to 14/-, extras 16/- to 20/-, 240's 14/- to 16/-, 504's 17/6; lemons 18/- to 20/- per case, special 25/-; tomatoes 4/- to 7/- per box, grape fruit 25/- to 32/6 per case, blacs grapes 2/4 to 2/9 per lb., Almeria 20/- to 30/- per barrel, pears, Nelis 27/- per case, pineapples 4/- to 6/- each, dates 7/6 per dozen, plums 6/- to 7/6 per tray, peaches 8/- to 9/- per tray, pears 5/- to 7/- per tray, Nectarines 9/- per dozen, onions, 5s 1½, 4's 10½, bags 5/6; rhubarb 2/6 to 2/9 per dozen, wituce 10/6 per crate, cucumbers 1/6 each

DUBLIN WHOLESALE POTATO.—Supplies of potatoes everywhere heavy and sales bad. Dublin factors are quoting 3/- to 3/6 and 3/9 per cwt. for average quality tubers for city delivery. Belfast shippers' prices for potatoes 10/9 to 15/- and 25/- per ton.

DUBLIN WHOLESALE POULTRY (Halston street).—Supply is fair for everything of seasonable production, and demand good generally at firm prices—viz., best quality table chickens 1/1 to 1/3 per lb. dead; large fat hens 2/6 to 5/- each, other descriptions 1/6 to 2/- each; fatted ducklings 3/6 to 4/6 each, old ducks 1/6 to 2/6 each; fatted geese 7d. to 9d. per lb. dead; prime quality cock turkeys 9d. to 1/- per lb., hen turkeys 1/- to 1/2 per lb.; best fresh well-handled rabbits 1/2 to 1/5 apiece.

LITTLE GREEN EGG AND BUTTER.—Supplies of butter plentiful and prices very low for the season; this has a stimulating effect on demand. These remarks do not apply to Danish butter, which remains comparatively dear and in small compass. Irish creamery produce, both fresh and cold stored, is in fair arrival. Prices:—Danish 1/6½ to 1/7 per lb., finest Irish creams 1/5½ to 1/5½ per lb., indifferent qualities at less money; New Zealand 1/4½ to 1/5 per lb.; Australian 1/4 to 1/4½ per lb., according to brand; factory butter 1/2 to 1/5½ per lb. EGGS continue to increase in supply, and prices are correspondingly lower. Extra selected hen eggs 17lb. grade 15/- to 13/6 per 120; 16 lb. grade extra 12/- to 12/6 per 120; case lots ordinary and selected 10/9 to 11/9 per 120; smalls and medium 9/- to 10/6; duck eggs short of supply and meet little demand at 16/6 to 17/- per 120.

CORK BUTTER.—Market remains weak, but prices are steadier. Creameries 155/- to 157/- per cwt. f.o.b.

DUBLIN FISH.—8 packages salmon, 9 chests lobsters, 200 boxes mackerel and 50 of herrings, together with a heavy arrival of fish from the usual local and country sources, made up this market. Demand good, except for mackerel. Salmon 3/- to 3/6 per lb.; large lobsters 13/- to 17/6 per lot of 15, seconds 10/- to 12/6, small 5/- to 7/6; large soles 30/- to 45/- per 9 pairs, medians 15/- to 17/6, slips 5/- to 7/6; turbot 6/1 to 10/- each, brill 6d. to 3/- each; plaice 2/- to 6/-, per half-box, codfish 20/- to 25/-, to 12/6 to 17/6; herrings averaged 8/- to 10/- per box, mackerel 8/- to 9/- per box.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—soles 14d. to 18d., slip 14d. to 17d.; salmon, English 31d. to 41d., Scottish 41d. to 43d., Irish 38d. to 41d. per lb.; live eels 22/2 to 50/-, dead 16/- to 27/- per draught; turbot 10/- to 13/-, brill 9/- to 11/-, plaice 7/- to 14/-, cod 4/- to 9/-, hake 7/- to 9/-, skate 5/- to 8/-, haddocks 6/- to 9/- per stone.

MANCHESTER MEAT.—Home-killed beef: sides 8½d. to 9½d., mutton 1/-, lambs 1/2, ewes 8½d. to 9d., porkets 1/1 1/2½, chilled beef hindquarters 6d. to 7½d., forequarters 8d. to 8½d., frozen beef hindquarters 6½d., crops 5½d. to 6½d., mutton wethers 7d. to 7½d., ewes 6½d., lambs 7d. to 10½d., New Zealand pigs 11d.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—There was some improvement inconsumptive demand, in which homegrown granulated figures, prices being unaltered. Antilo Dutch granulated ex depot London 20/3. There was no new feature to note in the general situation. Terminal sections opened with a quiet tone, but improved buying soon set in, which revealed a scarcity of sellers. Prices naturally advanced of raw. March quoted 6/3, May sold 6/7½ to 6/9¾, August 7/1½ to 7/3¾, December 7/7½ to 7/9¾, white March sold 8/11¼. COFFEE—General demand on spot is quiet, and ordinary qualities favour buyers regarding trend of values. COCOA—A firmer market forward, buyers being more prominent. Accra F/F March-May old contract quoted 37/3 to 39/-, and April-June sellers 38/-. f.o.b. terminal March delivery sold 41/4½ to 41/9, May 41/9 to 42/-, July 42/6 to 43/-, September 45/1½. Day's sales 220 tons sold. TEA—There is a fair inquiry by private treaty, and market remains firm.

RUBBER market quiet, and barely steady. Sheet spot and March sold 7 15/16d. to 7 7/8d., April-June 8 3/16d. to 8 1/4d., July-September 8 5/16d. to 8 3/8d., October-December 8 5/8d. to 8 9/16d. London stocks next Monday expected 1,400 tons higher, and Liverpool 1,000. JUTE—Moderate business, but prices suffered a further slight relapse, as sellers continue to predominate. Firsts February-March to Hamburg sold £24 15/- to £24 12/6, and again at £24 15/-. March-April usual ports £25 2/6, ditto to Hamburg £25, and sellers April-May usual ports £25 7/6 to £25 2/6, and later at £25 5/-. May-June sellers £25 10/-, new crop August-September £26 10/-; lightings March-April sold at £23 10/-, and sellers £24 5/-. SHELLAC market quiet; T.N. spot 130/-, March sellers 119/-, May sold 124/- to 121/6, August 126/- to 125/-.

OILCAKES—Linseed cakes—The slump in wheat is largely responsible for the present depression existing in the trade, and buyers hesitate to go into stocks beyond that which necessity compels them to purchase, with the result that business is much restricted, and more or less of a retail description, while prices in the meantime are not greatly affected, although in some isolated instances small distressed parcels have been available at slightly below quotations. Best London made may be bought for prompt delivery at £11 5/- to £11 10/-, and foreign descriptions are obtainable at £11 15/- ex warehouse for finest quality 19 p.c. oil Calcuttas and £10 15/- ex ship for 10 p.c. with some Bombays and Grecian offering at £10 10/- to £10 5/-. Cotton cakes—Arrived parcels of Egyptian met a fairly ready sale at £5 5/- ex ship terms, but for later periods the market is barely as strong, and with less activity in the trade, prices are with difficulty held up, the nearest value being £5 2/6 to £5 3/9. English makes rule quiet, but steady, at £5 17/6 to £6. Offals—Straight run middlings continue to decline, with sellers at £4 17/6 to £5, while bran is without alteration at £5 5/- for ordinary and £6 5/- for broad fancy Plate. Middlings are again easier at £5 5/- ex ship and £5 15/- ex store, with Plate pollards at £5 5/- ex ship and £4 15/- landed. Maize Foods—Gartlon's maize gluten feed meets a fairly steady consumptive demand at £8 10/- to £8 15/-, and maize germ cake meal at £9 10/-. Manbo flaked maize is in moderate request at £8 15/-, and maize germ meal at £7 10/-, with maize germ cake at £8 per ton.

OILS.—Linseed quiet. Spot 42/6, March 39/9, March-April 39/6, May-August, also September-December 39/1½. Rape dull. Crude spot 37/6, refined 39/-. Cotton maintained. Crude Egyptian spot 38/-, common edible 32/9, deodorised £4/9. Coconut inactive. Ceylon spot drums £6/-, March-April 33/3, Galle ditto 31/9. Turpentine easier. American spot 43/9, March-April 44/- per cwt. OLEINE—Easier market, firm and sellers more reserved, but buyers reluctant to follow. Bold Bombay March-April, also April-May sellers £19 6/3, Calcutta April-May, also May-June £18 12/6, Plate to Hull spot, also for shipment, to April £17 6/3, April-May and May-June £17 8/9. Rapeseed idle. Toria to Hull Continent February-March, also March-April £14 3/9. Cottonseed inactive. Egyptian black to Hull February to April £7 8/9, with white sorts at 7/6 per ton less, respectively, Bombay February-March £6 15/3. Groundnuts quiet at late rates. Coromandel machined March-April £15 17/6, April-May £16. May-June £16 2/6, June-July £16 5/-, bold Bombay April-May £13 10/-, Chinese ditto £15 7/6. Castorseed steady. Bombay March-April £15 2/6, Brazilian ditto £15 10/- per ton.

LIVERPOOL.—CANE SUGAR continues quiet. Peruvian afloat near at hand offering at 7 1/16 per cwt. c.i.f. for basis 96 deg. pol, parcels to U.K. COCOA—Spot West African quiet, and fine fermented Accra in bond nominal in value. Forward shipments of fermented Accra fully steady, with sellers March-May at 37/6 and April-June 38/- f.o.b. D clause, and buyers at 6d. less; later 38/- paid April-June, further sellers 38/9, buyers 38/6. COFFEE: Irregular. RICE—Dormant in quiet request. No. 2 in store quoted 13/6, old crop for shipment; new crop unchanged at 12/10½ to 11/- per cwt. c.i.f. OIL CAKES—Imported brands in slow demand, with linseed descriptions unchanged at £8 15/- for American, £8 10/- Bombay expeller, and £10 5/- River Plate, February-March shipments. C.i.f. Egyptian undecorticated cottonseed February-March shipments quoted £5 10/- ex ship terms. Liverpool grain kernel feeding materials move off slowly. Crushers quote £7 for crushed meals, £6 15/- cakes, and £6 10/- sweetened crushed meals. Millers and Liverpool made cocoa nut cake £7 10/- per ton ex mills. RUBBER—Para hard fine spot 8¾d. to 9⅞d., plantation spot 7⅞d. April-June 8⅛d., October-December 8⅝d. per lb. buyers.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.—Hay in small supply and mainly composed of old meadow sorts; trade dull and supply only just cleared, at:—1st crop 4/6 to 4/9, and occasionally 5/- per cwt.; 2nd and 3rd crop 4/- to 4/3 per cwt.; old meadow 3/6 to 3/9; inferior descriptions 2/6 to 3/3 per cwt. STRAW met a good demand for the small arrival. Oaten and wheaten 3/- to 3/3, and an odd load 3/6 per cwt.

LONDON METALS MARKET. SHARP FALL IN TIN.

TIN—At first session the market for tin exhibited renewed weakness on selling pressure combined with lower Eastern cables, though a fair business transpired at the decline. On balance cash ruled 62/6 and forward 65/- per ton down. Standard cash quoted at £168 to £168 2/6, three months £170 10/- to £170 12/6, settlement price £168. 800 tons changed hands, cash at £168, £167 15/-, and £167 17/6, three months £171 5/- and £170 10/-; English ingots quoted £169 to £169 10/-. In the East 375 tons reported sold on the basis of £173 2/6 c.i.f. terms. COPPER—Market dull and tendency easier on liberal offers—cash on balance being 2/6 and forward 2/6 to 3/9 per ton lower; standard cash quoted £69 to £69 2/6, three months £68 7/6 to £68 8/9, settlement price £69. Sales amounted to 300 tons, comprising cash at £68 15/- to £69, three months £68 5/- to £68 8/9; electros quoted £83 10/- to £84 5/-, wire bars £84 5/-, best selected £77 5/- to £78 10/-, strong sheets £110. LEAD in better support and market firmer, sellers showing more reserve; 800 tons sold; good soft foreign pig, Feb. at £20, March £19 15/- to £19 17/6, April £19 15/-, May £19 15/- to £19 17/6, June £19 15/- to £20 settlement price £20 2/6; English quoted £21 10/-. SPELTER market fully steady, with fair support accorded. Sales 700 tons; March £18 8/9 to £18 10/-, May £18 18/9, June £19 2/6, settlement price £18 7/6 per ton. ANTIMONY steady; English Regulus, £42 10/- to £50; China do. spot £30 10/- to £31, Feb.-March £25 10/-; Chinese crude Feb.-March £17 10/- per ton c.i.f. Antimony oxide, Feb.-March £35 10/- per ton c.i.f. Antimony ore, 50 p.c. Feb.-March 4/- 60 p.c. do. 6/- per unit c.i.f. WOLFRAM quiet; Chinese, Feb.-March 31/6; Burmese, spot 36/- per unit c.i.f. ALUMINIUM steady; home trade £95, export £100 per ton. QUICKSILVER steady; spot £22 15/- per bottle. TIN PLATES maintained; I.C. coke prompt and forward 18/6 to 18/9 per box f.o.b. Swansea. Zinc oxide quiet; spot £23 to £36, as to quality, per ton delivered U.K.

Second Session.—Tin irregular and easy; 175 tons sold; three months £170 18/-, £171, £170 17/6, £171 5/-, £171. Copper dull; 125 tons sold; cash £68 17/6, three months £68 7/6. Lead maintained; 50 tons sold; good soft foreign pig, May £19 17/6. Spelter slow; 100 tons sold; March £18 10/-, June £19.

DANCE AND BRIDGE TOURNAMENT.

In an effort to meet the deficit of £200 on the past year's balance sheet of the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, the Committee is organising a dance and bridge tournament, which will be held in the Aberdeen Hall, Gresham Hotel, Dublin, on Shrove Tuesday. Lady HolmPatrick, President of the Castleknock district, will present the prizes.

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Booking at the Theatre, 10.30 to 6 and 8 to 9.
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Applicants are to attend at the Hospital for Medical Examination on the 11th April, at 12 o'clock, and on the day of the Election at 2 o'clock p.m.
CHARLES HAMMOND, Secretary.
1st March, 1930.

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Applications should be addressed to the undersigned at his office, Sharman Crawford street, Cork, and should reach him not later than Saturday, 15th March.
F. B. GILTINAN, Secretary.
27th February, 1930.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.
CONTRACT FOR SUPPLIES OF BREAD, MEAT, MILK AND BUTTER TO PRISONS, &c.
Tenders are invited for the following supplies to Prisons and the Borstal Institution, Clonmel:—Bread, Meat, Milk and Butter, for the six months commencing the 1st April, 1930 (no tender for Bread in case of Mountjoy, Portlaoighise and Cork Prisons).
Particulars and Forms of Tender can be obtained at each Prison and at Clonmel.
Sealed Tenders, addressed "Secretary, Department of Justice, Dublin," and endorsed in block capitals, "Tenders—Prisons," must reach the Department not later than 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, the 12th March.
By Order,
M. O'CUINNEAIN, Leas Runaidhe.
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ROINN COSANTA.
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.
TENDERS FOR TEA FOR THE ARMY.
The Minister for Defence will receive Tenders up to noon on Saturday, 15th March, for the supply of tea for the Army, to be delivered at the Headquarters set out hereunder, for a period of seven months, commencing on the 1st May, 1930:—Athlone, Cork, Curragh, Limerick, Dublin City Area, and Galway. Only Tenders submitted on official forms will be considered. Applications for Tender Forms should be addressed:—The Secretary, Department of Defence (Contracts), Parkgate, Dublin. 16/B.1542. W.H.Co.

AN ROINN OIDEACHAIS—BRAINSE AN CHEARD-OIDEACHAIS
(DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION—TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION BRANCH).
TENDERS FOR FOODSTUFFS.
TENDERS are invited for the supply of FOODSTUFFS (other than fresh meat, bacon, bacon sides, sausages, black and white puddings, fish and milk) for the following Institutions for the six months beginning on the 1st April, 1930:—
IRISH TRAINING SCHOOL OF DOMESTIC ECONOMY, KILMACUD, COUNTY DUBLIN.
SCHOOL OF HOUSEWIFERY, KILLARNEY.
Particulars and Forms of Tender may be had on application to the Secretary, Department of Education, Technical Instruction Branch, 64/65 Merrion Square, S., Dublin, C. 17. Tenders will not be accepted later than 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, the 11th March.
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FOR OTHER GOVERNMENT NOTICES SEE PAGE 15.

FOR CHURCH NOTICES SEE PAGE 15.

The Irish Times.

SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 1930.

NEWS SUMMARY

IRELAND.

Considerable disorder occurred in Dail Eireann yesterday when the second reading of the "Greater Dublin" Bill was carried by 71 votes to 58 after Mr. Blythe had moved the closure.—(Pages 9 and 7.)

A special Congress of the Irish Labour Party and Trades Union Congress in Dublin yesterday decided to establish a National Labour Party separate from the Trades Union Congress.—(Page 9.)

At a cost of £38,000 the towns of Balbriggan and Skerries have been given a new water supply.—(Page 10.)

GREAT BRITAIN

The House of Commons yesterday was counted out during a discussion of Sir Alfred Knox's bill, which proposes to extend the powers of local authorities in regard to control and prohibition of poster advertisements.—(Page 10.)

ABROAD.

The situation in Spain is giving cause for uncertainty. Following the speech of Señor Guerra, there were further demonstrations yesterday.—(Page 9.)

An article describing the mountain Kanchenjunga, and giving a description of previous attempts to reach its summit, is given to-day.—(Page 9.)

SPORTING.

At Gatwick yesterday West Indies won the International Hurdle Race.—(Page 12.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were quiet, but fairly steady. Ford Motors were a firm spot.—(Page 14.)

The Treasury bill rate fell ¼ to 3½ per cent. compared with last Friday. Bill rates continued to slide. Loans were in fair demand, with 4½ per cent. occasionally paid for overnight advances.—(Page 14.)

Dublin Market was somewhat erratic, but Guinness and Dublin Trams both improved.—(Page 14.)

A Great Adventure.

Man's boldness—twice foiled during recent years—is about to make a new assault on Kanchenjunga, the second highest mountain in the Himalayas and in the world. The story begins to-day in our columns, and, by a series of exclusive despatches and photographs, we shall follow it, as we hope, to a triumphant finish. This tremendous mountain yields in height to Everest alone, but equals, if it does not surpass, Everest in peril and inaccessibility. Before they reach the summit the members of the new expedition must conquer heavy storms, an intense rarefaction of the atmosphere and almost perpendicular cliffs of ice. If they succeed, they will stand 28,150 feet above sea-level—a height less by eighty feet than that which Mallory and Irvine had reached when they perished within eight hundred feet of their goal on Everest. Kanchenjunga, too, has claimed its victims. In the expedition of 1905 four climbers perished, and the Bavarian expedition of 1929 escaped disaster only through its skill in retreat. The new expedition is, in its *personnel*, an advertisement of Europe's present peace; for it includes men of five nations—Germany, England, Switzerland, Italy and Austria. Every one of them is a highly trained mountaineer. The leader is Professor G. O. Dyhrenfurth, of Germany, whose wife will accompany him; and the English member is Mr. F. S. Smythe, who has to his credit two daring new routes up the Brenva face of Mount Blanc. The photographs illustrating our reports of the expedition's progress will be taken by Mr. Smythe. Nepalese porters, whose mettle has been tested in three attempts on Everest, will be employed—men famous for their power to carry heavy burdens at great heights. Kanchenjunga is fifty miles north of Darjeeling and one hundred and fifty miles south-east of Mount Everest, on the borders of Sikkim, Tibet and Nepal. The main body of the expedition will sail from Venice on the 9th March, and will leave Darjeeling at the end of the month. A month of preparation will follow, and, if fortune favours them, the climbers will be ready to assault the mountain's crowning peak at the beginning of May. With every yard of their ascent, after a certain level, their task will become increasingly difficult. At 27,000 feet they will have come very near to the limits of human strength, and they may be forced to use oxygen during the last stages of their climb. They must scale walls of ice, must traverse giddy razor-backs buffeted by freezing winds, and may be baffled by terrific snow-storms at the moment when victory seems to be within their grasp. Kanchenjunga, as our special article says, "is a relentless opponent which will hit back with every weapon in its armoury." However the event may fall, the story which we shall be privileged to tell will be an epic of human skill, courage and endurance.

Central Europe.

An agglomeration of improbable States was evolved from the welter of the Great War. The late President Wilson, an idealist, and Mr. Lloyd George, an opportunist, were allowed to re-make a Continent according to their whims by a respectful and war-weary world. Thus Central Europe to-day, over a larger area, threatens the peace of Europe even as, before 1914, the Balkan nations, more limited geographically, provided a perpetual menace. In spite of this danger, the Powers of Western Europe, parochially occupied with their own concerns, remember their more remote neighbours only when a signature is required to a protocol at Geneva. Almost without interest, therefore, we learn that to-day is the tenth anniversary of Admiral Horthy's election as Regent of Hungary. The position of Hungary is uncommon. Other nations, in many respects more happily situated, have experienced violent changes of Government since 1918; the Hungarians for ten years have been faithful to a regency. For this achievement Admiral Horthy himself deserves the highest praise. The Magyars in many ways may be compared with the Norman rulers of Saxon England in the twelfth century. Admiral Horthy successfully has maintained an uneasy balance between these admirable, patriotic, but difficult, people and the humbler elements of the country.

When Bela Kun, in 1919, agitated Europe by his seizure of Buda-Pesth the Powers regarded the situation with real alarm. The alternative to militant Communism appeared to lie in a Magyar military revival, but Nicholas Horthy rose to the occasion. He was able to rally responsible opinion to his support, and consolidated his position when he persuaded the Reparations Commission to agree to the suspension of the Hungarian reparation payments. Generally, although taxation has been high, Hungary's revenue has been well spent. Her children receive a first-class education and her public services have been improved beyond recognition. Nevertheless, although to-day Hungary may congratulate herself upon her progress, her future is uncertain. The country is a regency, and many people are inclined to ask: "For whom does the Regent rule?" If the Crown of St. Stephen is in abeyance, it follows that ultimately it will be raised again to decorate the brow of some monarch. The Powers have banned the Hapsburg, but have not troubled to suggest a substitute. It may be, of course, that Hungary will develop a republican bias, but her history does not suggest such a *dénouement*.

A country of ancient traditions, Hungary is isolated by the new creations of the Treaty of Versailles. Austria is gone for ever, and, indeed, is more likely to merge with Bavaria than to link herself with her old colleague. Czecho-Slovakia on the north, Yugo-Slavia on the south-west and Rumania on the south-east hem in this ancient people. Rumania's new province of Transylvania contains many Hungarian Magyars, who suffer daily indignities at the hands of their corrupt and disagreeable overlords. If—as is probable—the next few years bring another disturbance in Eastern Europe, the Hungarians, by the terms of the Treaty of Versailles, will be left without adequate means of defence against their turbulent and less civilised neighbours. Their fertile plains, the granary of Mittel-Europa, are a perennial temptation to less favoured countries. Admiral Horthy has pinned his faith on the good-will of the League of Nations. Results hitherto have justified him, but we fear lest in times of convulsion the League may fail to endorse its good-will by prompt action. The Hungarians, essentially *sui generis*, have no natural allies in their corner of the world. Shorn of their old resources, they may become easily a prey to their boisterous neighbours, with the result that Eastern Europe would be deprived of one of the few nations that possess any traditional culture.

Thirteen Votes.

By a majority of thirteen votes the second reading of the Greater Dublin Bill was carried in *Dáil Eireann* yesterday. During the course of the debate the general feeling of the House was decidedly against Mr. Mulcahy's bill. Labour and *Fianna Fáil* opposed it stoutly; several of the Independent members spoke against it, and even one of the Government's staunchest followers objected to its provisions. The common opinion, therefore, was that, if the Government should refuse to accept some very drastic amendments on the Committee stage, it would fail to carry the second reading, and yesterday's vote came as a complete surprise. It was made possible by the Government's use of the closure. The debate had lasted for more than two days, but several members of the *Dáil*, including some Dublin representatives, still were anxious to speak. Nobody who was not in the Government's confidence anticipated that a division would be taken yesterday. Sixty-three members of the Government Party voted for the bill, and this solid phalanx, supported by half-a-dozen Independents and the two members of the National League, was sufficient to carry the division. All the available members of *Fianna Fáil* and the Labour Party, with two Independents—Professor Alton and Mr. O'Hanlon—voted against the measure; but the Opposition has been caught napping. We have no sympathy with those members who accused the Speaker of unfairness. Mr. Blythe applied the closure, and the Speaker could not refuse to accept his motion unless he deemed it to be an infringement of the minority's rights. If anybody is to blame, the Vice-President, rather than the Speaker, is the culprit; but the closure is a recognised weapon of politics. The Government has escaped defeat on the principle of the bill, and Mr. Mulcahy has refused to budge from his original attitude. We hope, however, that the Opposition will insist on essential amendments in Committee, and that on the next occasion more than two Independents will be found to have the courage of their constituents' convictions.

Restless Citizens.

The remarkable development of passenger transport in London was revealed at the annual meeting of the Underground and associated companies. Twenty years ago the average Londoner made about forty trips by train, tram and omnibus *per annum*; now the average is 512 trips, having risen since 1914 from 311. London is supplied lavishly with means of quick, cheap and easy transport. It underground system is the envy of the world, and its omnibus services are as extensive as they are efficient. Of the 2,175,000,000 passengers who were carried last year 73 *per cent.* travelled by omnibus, 18 by rail, and nine by the tramways. The omnibus, by virtue of its low fares, its mobility and its "handiness" continues to be the most popular means of conveyance. No other city in the world has a service of omnibuses even approaching that of the British capital. The Paris "'buses" are ludicrously inadequate, while even in Berlin, which prides itself on its traffic arrangements, the only vehicles on the streets are cumbersome contraptions, totally unsuited to the heavy traffic of a big city. London leads Europe in the number of journeys taken by its citizens every year, but New York just surpasses it with an average of 527. The New Yorkers are always on the move. Their subways and elevated railways carry enormous numbers of passengers, but the aggregate figure for London is considerably higher than that of its American rival. Berlin is very far behind London and New York, with an average of only 434 journeys *per* head, and Paris has an even poorer record; but then Paris has its taxi-cabs, which are almost as popular as London's "'buses." Dublin, in comparison with other cities, is a leisurely place. We do not know its average of journeys; but we do know that it is one of the most dangerous cities in Europe for the pedestrian, whose chances of survival in College Green must be considerably less than they would be in the Strand, or even in the *Place de l'Opéra*.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Yesterday was the eighth anniversary of the marriage of Princess Mary and the Earl of Harewood, then Viscount Lascelles. Their second son, the Hon. Gerald Lascelles, who is now in his sixth year, is mentioned in the will of his grandfather, the late Earl of Harewood, as heir to large estates in the West Indies, failing an heir to the Hon. Edward Cecil Lascelles. Mr. Lascelles, who married the daughter of the late Colonel Eustace Balfour and Lady Frances Balfour in 1915, has no family.

Last night Prince Arthur of Connaught presided in the Freemasons' Hall, London, at the annual festival of the Emulation Lodge of Improvement.

Queen Marie of Rumania and Princess Ileana arrived last Wednesday at Alexandria, where they were received by the Rumanian Consular officials and several Egyptian authorities. They started at once on their journey to Cairo and Upper Egypt.

The Hungarian Minister held a reception yesterday at 35 Eaton place, S.W., for Hungarians in London, to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the election of the Regent of Hungary.

The Duke of Argyll is staying in Glasgow, where he has several public engagements. The Marquis and Marchioness of Huntly will leave Paris to-day for Cannes, where this week's arrivals include Admiral the Hon. Sir Victor and Lady Stanley, Lady Musgrave, the Hon. Henry Guest, Sir Trevor and Lady Dawson, Sir Frederick and Lady Williams-Taylor, Lady Ozanne, Sir Sidney, Lady and Miss Nettleton and Lady Coghlan.

Field-Marshal Viscount Allenby and Viscountess Allenby will reach London to-day on their return from India. Sir Mark and Lady Sheldon and Lady Clipperton were among the passengers who arrived at Southampton yesterday from New York. Sir George Abercromby, Sir William and the Hon. Lady Ingilby and Sir A. Cayzer and Miss Cayzer arrived at Southampton yesterday on their return from a cruise to the West Indies.

Sir Harold Nutting, who retired last season from the Mastership of the Meynell Hunt, which he had held for nine years, has accepted the invitation to partner Major A. E. Burnaby as Joint Master of the Quorn Hounds next season.

Lady Diana Gibb and the Hon. Mrs. Henry Mond have arrived in Tanganyika, and are staying with the Earl of Lovelace at Babati. They will continue their journey to Salisbury, Rhodesia, next week, and will not return to England till the end of April.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place on March 29th, between Charles Sutton Hillis, L.R.C.S., L.D.S., 95 St. Stephen's Green, youngest son of the late William Hillis and Mrs. Hillis, 207 North Circular road, and Dorothie, only daughter of Charles J. Paul and Mrs. Paul, Mon Abri, Baily, Co. Dublin.

Doctor G. Pugin Meldon has returned to 6 Fitzwilliam place.

Dr. J. F. Devane has left Limerick until the 10th of April.

Mrs. F. B. Switzer and Miss Lallie Switzer have arrived from Paris.

Switzers are showing a most attractive selection of inexpensive well-tailored Tweed Coats for Spring, interesting fashion features of which include the new stand-up collar, novel treatment of sleeves, longer and more graceful lines, slightly higher waist, etc. The prices range from 3½ gns.

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Costumes, Coats, Tailor-made, to order, for the Spring. Latest styles. New materials.—Bryson, 3 Church lane, off College Green.

In Dublin stay at Power's Hotel, Kildare street. Most central, comfortable and moderate.

New two-piece suit in navy charmelaine with three-quarter coat, 7½ gns.; shaded stockinette jumper to tone, 33s.—Slyne and Co., Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals—Dr. and Mrs. Shepbard, the Rev. R. B. Birmingham, Miss Stella Campbell, Mrs. G. W. Spratt, Mr. M. and Mrs. Porter, Clarence Bradley, J. J. Dunne, A. J. Lalor, Miss C. Smith, R. Nugent, H. Sanders.

Departures—A. K. Seefer, Mrs. Bowes Daly, Miss Rosamond Ffrench, Mrs. C. Macartney-Filgate, R. Nesbitt Keller, the Rev. N. R. Dunne, Miss S. M. Findlater, Miss D. Findlater, Miss E. O. Beatty, Major L. J. Whelan, Mrs. Burrows, Mrs Arnold Harvey, Mrs. Hugh Hunter, R. K. Mulderry, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. T. Clampett, A. J. Juniper, Adrian Harley, Mrs. J. F. Stevenson, T. Rogers.

PASSENGERS BY THE B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

Arrivals—Lieutenant-Colonel Rothwell, Major C. M. Finny, Mr. Van Gruisen, Mr. A. Scott, Mr. Campbell Johnston, Mr. J. Montgomery, Mr. H. G. Beaver, Mr. J. Ferguson, Colonel Marriott, Mr. R. Duff, Dr. Best, Mr. T. Blake, Miss S. Smalley.

Departures—Baron de Robeck, Mr. G. A. Watson, Mr. A. F. Vigor, Mr. T. Meek, Mr. D. Webb, Mr. W. Hartley, Mr. M. Kiersey, Lieutenant-Colonel Heelis, Dr. Fregonneau, the Rev. P. Browne, Mr. A. Ford, Mr. F. Gordon, Mrs. Hains, Mr. G. M. Watson, Captain Lindsay, Miss A. E. Chambers, Mr. T. Deane, Mr. C. McLelland, Mrs. J. Doyle.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—A large anti-cyclone covers the British Isles, and quiet, fair weather will be general, with fog night and morning in several districts.

North-West, North-East, South-East and South-West Ireland.—Light, variable breeze, perhaps becoming moderate, south-easterly or southerly; fair, apart from some fog morning and night; moderate temperature.

Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Light easterly or variable breeze; fair, apart from fog, chiefly near coast morning and night; sea slight or smooth.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Thermometers, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

Feb.	Bar.	Thermometer. Temp. 10 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain. m.m.	Sun hours
22	30.370	39.5	41	29	22	E.	—	—
23	30.380	34.0	40	33	23	—	—	—
24	30.087	39.5	39	34	31	S.E.	—	—
25	29.758	38.0	41	38	35	E.	0.5	—
26	29.866	41.6	43	38	37	S.	7.1	—
27	30.271	43.0	47	40	39	—	0.8	1.1
28	30.352	38.7	50	39	32	—	Trace	4.7

THE SUN.

To-day...Rises ... 7.15 Sets 6. 2
To-morrow.. " ... 7.12 " 6. 4
Lighting-up Time 7. 2

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.

To-day....Morning 0. 2 Afternoon 0.16
To-morrow.. " ... 0.31 " 0.47

Mrs. Helena Normanton, one of the first women called to the Bar in England, appeared yesterday as the leader for the defence in an attempted murder trial at Newcastle-on-Tyne Assizes.

LONDON LETTER.

THE SPANISH CRISIS.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

The reports of unrest in Spain were discussed to-day in diplomatic and political circles. In the former it is thought that there are even stronger influences at work than have been revealed. The popularity of King Alphonso has been so great and so consistent that it becomes a matter of difficulty to understand such a wholesale revulsion in public feeling as is suggested by the news. That an attack would be made upon the King as soon as the Dictatorship came to an end was certain, and King Alphonso was prepared to meet it; but that it would assume such intensity was unexpected. It was thought, however, that King Alphonso would weather the storm. The situation in Spain has a resemblance to that in France a century ago, when Charles X. lost his throne as the result of street disturbances, following upon an infringement of some parts of the Constitution. In political circles there were queries to-day concerning the loyalty of the Spanish Army; for, unless its chiefs, who exercise a great influence in political matters, are anxious for a Republic, there can be little danger to the Spanish Throne.

The Coal Mines Bill.

The narrow division in the House of Commons last night on the much-disputed Part 1 of the Coal Mines Bill will encourage the House of Lords to continue its work of making drastic alterations in Labour measures. It was expected, as I have pointed out, that Part 1 of the bill would be passed by the Commons owing to the abstention of members, and it may be assumed that the leader of the Conservative Party in the Upper House will not fail to take notice that rejection would have been certain if the absentees had recorded their votes in accordance with the wishes of their leaders. The situation was much debated in the Lobby to-day, when there were frequent exchanges of badinage between members of the different parties, the Labour men declaring that the other parties were afraid to put the Government out, because they knew that it would return with an increased majority. To this opinion Conservatives and Liberals usually replied that the Government, if defeated, would certainly not risk an appeal to the country.

The Russian Question.

The Bishop of London has ordered that Sunday, March 16, in deference to the wishes of the Archbishop of Canterbury, shall be observed as a Day of Intercession for the Russian Christians. In this connection, the attitude of the Labour Government has become apparent from its orders to the fighting Services, forbidding intercessions. Such an order would, in the usual way, be promulgated by the Admiralty and the Army Council, but, in this case, responsibility is placed on the Government, the prohibition being made for political reasons. Such action is almost unprecedented; for Service chaplains have been permitted in the past to use their own discretion in such matters. The matter is so important that questions are to be addressed to the Prime Minister on the subject.

Railways and Air Transport.

When the four big British railway companies obtained parliamentary powers to operate air transport services last year, there were reports that at least one railway company was considering the inauguration of a new air line. The group referred to was the Southern, but, although the railway is taking an interest in air transport, it does not intend to inaugurate an independent service; for at the annual meeting yesterday the chairman made the interesting announcement that the railway company had acquired a shareholding interest in Imperial Airways, on the understanding that, if the railway company should exercise its air powers, the services would be operated by Imperial Airways. The railway companies thus are becoming general transport concerns; for, in addition to the air shareholding interest mentioned, all the big railways have secured substantial holdings in road transport concerns.

Hamburg and Galway.

If the arrangements for the operation of an air service between Hamburg and Galway *via* Hull are as forward as has been reported, details ought to be revealed at the International Atlantic Conference, which will be held at Wiesbaden this year, and will open in about three weeks. All the Atlantic passenger lines take part in this conference, and, as the proposed air service would be run in conjunction with the liner sailings, the shipping companies, if any, with which arrangements have been made doubtless will furnish details during the conference.

Agricultural Policy.

The statement made by Mr. Baldwin yesterday on agricultural policy, when he received a deputation from the Conservative Party Agricultural Committee, will give satisfaction to agriculturists generally, and it is possible that, when he makes a full statement of his policy on this question, it will go far to meet the views of the farmers now suffering so severely from depression. A guaranteed price for all home-grown wheat, if it ever should come into operation, ought to insure a steady increase in the production in this country. At the moment, many farmers find difficulty in obtaining a reasonable price, and use much of their produce for farm purposes. I know of one instance where a farmer took sacks of wheat to a local corn market and, failing to secure an offer, took it home again for chicken food.

Psittacosis.

The consignments of parrots which reach this country from South America arrive during the summer months, and the question of prohibiting their importation this year is under consideration by the Ministry of Health. In consequence of the number of cases of parrot fever, the Ministry is extending its investigations, and many birds are under observation. It is estimated that there are well over one hundred thousand parrot-keepers in this country, and for some years there has been a tendency for the number to increase until the recent outbreak of psittacosis, since when few birds have been sold.

The Duty on Whiskey.

The criticism of Viscount Churchill regarding the price of whiskey on trains has provoked much discussion, and it is agreed generally that whiskey is too dear not only on trains, but in all other places. The duty at the present time works out at the rate of 8s. 5½d. *per* bottle, and it is unlikely that there will be any reduction for several years. The usual retail price for a bottle is twelve shillings and sixpence, so that four shillings go to the distiller and retailer. When the spirit is sold by the glass the price advances greatly, so that the publican usually secures about one pound for a single bottle. In the circumstances, it is not surprising that a once flourishing industry is seriously affected both in Ireland and in Scotland. Temperance advocates probably will rejoice at the fact, but the liquor trade maintains that it is better for the consumer that he should be able to gratify a legitimate desire at a reasonable price than that he should be compelled to spend more than he can afford.

DEATHS.

BROWNE—February 28, 1930, at South Mall, Lismore, Elizabeth Frances, eldest daughter of the late John Browne. Deeply mourned by brothers and sister. Funeral to-morrow (Sunday).

DINGLES—February 28, 1930, at her residence, Kells, County Meath, Kate, widow of the late Thomas Dingles, to the inexpressible grief of her heart-broken children. R.I.P. Office and High Mass in St. Columbkille's Church, Kells, on Monday morning next at 11.30. Funeral at 2 o'clock to New Cemetery.

THE ATTEMPT ON KANCHENJUNGA.

FAMOUS CLIMBERS OF FIVE NATIONS ON WAY TO INDIA.

HISTORY OF THE MOUNTAIN.

THE FATE OF TWO PREVIOUS EXPEDITIONS.

The advance party of the international expedition going to the Himalaya to attempt the summit of Kanchenjunga has left Europe and will reach India at the end of the first week in March.

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Among the high places of the world the Himalayan peaks are in a class by themselves. The Alps are small by comparison with them; a few isolated peaks in the Andes or Africa or the Rocky Mountains come within the same range as a score of the giants among them. Mont Blanc is little more than half the height of Mount Everest; Kilimanjaro (19,700 feet) and Mount McKinley (20,454 feet), the highest peaks of Africa and North America, would rank as minor peaks in the Sikkim Himalaya; and even Aconcagua (23,000 feet), the monarch of the Andes, is no

high than the historic North Col on Everest. The Himalaya are a great assemblage of unscaled peaks towering over a land of immense altitude in the heart of Asia. Man has walked in this land only rarely and at the greatest risk of his life.

PECULIAR SCENERY.

Each group of the greater peaks has its peculiar scenery, but none is finer than the magnificent massif that culminates at 28,150 feet in the summit of Kanchenjunga. The visitor to Darjeeling, who climbs to the top of Observatory Hill, sees it fifty miles away over range upon range of lower ridges, split with deep, gorge-like valleys, incredibly remote and icily aloof, lifting its glaciers like shields to the frozen sky. There is no scale by which the watcher can appreciate the size of what he sees. The apparently insignificant ridges over which his gaze passes are themselves as high or higher than the Alps. The labyrinth of slit-like valleys and gorges appears only in the mists, born of their steamy tropical heat, that form towards noon and writhe slowly upwards in columns of massive cumuli. There is no standard of comparison, and experience alone can teach the heights, depths and distances, twice or three times as great as those in the Alps.

INVIOLATE SUMMITS.

The eye can pass at a glance over these leagues of ridges and valleys between Darjeeling and Kanchenjunga, but the foot of man cannot take them at a stride. The problems of reaching the base of the greater peaks of the main watershed and of carrying sufficient food and equipment are second only to the problems of scaling the peaks themselves. It is largely due to these initial difficulties and to the expense of organising and maintaining a large banderbast of native porters that so few expeditions are undertaken in the high Himalaya. Yet in an age when mountaineering technique in the Alps is said to have reached the limits of technical perfection, it is, indeed, remarkable that not one of the greater Himalayan peaks has been climbed.

ASSAULTS REPULSED.

Mount Everest, Kanchenjunga, Nanga Parbat, Nanda Devi, and the Bride Peak have all repulsed determined assaults by some of the finest mountaineers of past and present generations. Lieutenant-Colonel E. F. Norton and Mr. T. H. Somervell got to within 1,000 feet of Everest's summit, and Mr. G. H. L. Mallory and Mr. A. Irvine perished in a final attempt. Kanchenjunga has remained inviolate through three assaults, two weak ones ending in disaster, and a third, an exceptionally strong one, which failed 3,000 feet from the summit. Nanga Parbat (26,700 feet), took the life of Mr. A. F. Mummery, the most brilliant mountaineer of his time, together with the lives of his two Gurkha followers. Nanda Devi (25,660 feet), the highest peak entirely within the British Empire, has defeated the best efforts of that great Himalayan pioneer, Dr. T. G. Longstaff. The Duke of the Abruzzi was forced to retreat when only a short distance from the summit of the Bride Peak (25,110 feet) in the Karakorams. In addition, there are scores of peaks of 25,000 feet or more that have never been attempted and are never likely to be, unless by some aeronaut in a helicopter.

THE HIGHEST YET.

The highest actual summit yet attained is that of Trisul (23,406 feet), which was climbed in 1907 by Brigadier-General the Hon. C. G. Bruce and Dr. Longstaff, with the Italian guides, Alexis and Henri Brocherel. It is almost as if there were a magic cordon drawn at 25,000 feet round the necks of these giants by the Mi-go, the "Abominable Snow-men," whom the natives believe to dwell in horrid rage on the summits. But were the greater peaks of the Himalaya more easily approachable, both physically and politically, some of them at least would surely have yielded to the skill of three generations of determined mountaineers.

BRITISH PIONEERS.

In spite of the obvious challenge of Kanchenjunga, little was known of the mountain and its immediate environs until the closing years of last century, although Sir Joseph Hooker, the pioneer of exploration in the Eastern Himalaya, had explored the ridges to the east of it many years before. One of the first to undertake serious mountaineering in Sikkim was Mr. W. W. Graham, who, in 1883, carried through a brilliant series of ascents in the neighbourhood of Kabru (24,000 feet), the southern outpost of Kanchenjunga. His achievements included ascents of three unnamed peaks in the Kabru district, a first ascent of Jubrun (21,400 feet), and finally an ascent of Kabru itself, the summit of which Mr. Graham claimed to have reached. This last ascent provoked a bitter controversy at the time, and to this day it has not been definitely established whether or not Mr. Graham actually did reach the summit.

THROUGH UNKNOWN REGIONS.

The country nearest to Darjeeling was naturally the first to be explored and mapped. It was not until 1884 that a native surveyor named Rinsing journeyed through the hitherto unknown region north of Kanchenjunga. In spite of being ill-equipped for high altitudes and of losing two of his party from excessive cold and fatigue, he succeeded in crossing from Sikkim into Nepal by the Jonsong La, a snow pass of 20,207 feet. Another native, Sarat Chandra Das, claimed to have traversed the same pass a few years earlier *en route* for Lhasa, but it seems probable, as Mr. Douglas Freshfield points out, that his pass was farther to the north. In 1891 Sir Claude White and Mr. Hofmann were the first Europeans to penetrate to the Zemu Glacier beneath the eastern precipices of Kanchenjunga, where they discovered Siniolchum, "the most beautiful mountain in the world."

ROUND KANCHENJUNGA.

Their enterprise opened the way for others, but it was not until 1899 that Mr. Freshfield's party succeeded in making the first comprehensive circuit of Kanchenjunga and photographing and exploring the glaciers and valleys of its western flanks. Mr. Freshfield described this expedition in his book, "Round Kanchenjunga," which contains some interesting speculations on the possibilities of climbing the mountain. Though the principal aim of his party was to explore and map the glaciers and approaches of Kanchenjunga, it was their project to attempt its ascent. A snowstorm made this impossible, and they were forced to content themselves with exploring the head of the Zemu Glacier and of repeating the traverse of the Jonsong La, whence they descended into Nepal and returned to Darjeeling over the Kang La and Jongri passes. 16,305 feet and 13,140 feet respectively. That the party would have failed in an attempt on the mountain can hardly be doubted in the light of subsequent experience of the elaborate series of camps necessary and the physical effects of great altitudes. But Mr. Freshfield's expedition accomplished much in determining the easiest lines of attack for future parties.

THE FIRST EXPEDITION.

It was not until 1905 that a direct attempt was made to climb Kanchenjunga by a party consisting of three Swiss—Dr. Jacot-Guillarmod, M. Reymond, Lieutenant Pache—and an Italian hotel-keeper from Darjeeling named De Righi, who put themselves under the leadership of Mr. Aleister Crowley. The expedition proceeded by the Singalila ridge and the Chumbab La to the Yalung Valley, and having marched up the Yalung Glacier attacked the great curtain of icy slopes which falls from the base of the cliffs of the south-west face of Kanchenjunga. They succeeded in establishing a camp at 20,343 feet, and some of them climbed 1,000 feet higher. On the afternoon of September 1st Dr. Guillarmod, Lieutenant Pache, and De Righi, with three natives, started to descend the glacier to the lower camp, leaving Crowley and Reymond at the higher. Crowley states that he warned them of the danger that they were incurring in descending so late in the day with a large party. While traversing a snow-slope the two coolies, who were in the middle, slipped, dragging with them Pache and the third coolie, who were behind, and the doctor and De Righi, who were in front. The doctor and De Richi escaped with a severe shaking, but their four companions were buried in the avalanche of snow brought down by the fall. Reymond, hearing the cries of the survivors, came down alone from the higher camp. Crowley, by his own avowal, recorded in the Alpine Journal for February, 1906, remained in bed in the tent drinking tea. In a letter to the *Pioneer*, written the same evening, he said:—"As it was, I could do nothing more than send out Reymond on the forlorn hope. Not that I was over-anxious in the circumstances to render help. A mountain 'accident' of this sort is one of the things for which I have no sympathy whatever. . . . To-morrow I hope to go down and find out how things stand." Thus ended the first attempt on Kanchenjunga.

MUCH VALUABLE WORK.

In 1911 and 1912 Dr. A. M. Kellas, who died during the second Mount Everest expedition, made two bold and successful expeditions on the peaks to the north and north-west of Kanchenjunga and on the ridges of Kanchenjunga itself. Though his expeditions, which were made alone, with only native assistance, included no actual attempt on the mountain, he accomplished much valuable pioneer work. In 1911 he reached the Nepal Gap (21,000 feet), on the north-west ridge of Kanchenjunga, and the Zemu Gap (19,300 feet), on the east ridge; and climbed the Langpo Peak (22,100 feet), and the Chumiomo (22,430 feet), to the north-west of the Kanchenjunga massif. In 1912 he climbed Kanchenjhau (22,700 feet), to the north-west of Kanchenjunga.

THE LATEST ATTEMPTS.

Meanwhile, mountaineers of other nationalities had not been idle. Kabru had again been assaulted, this time by two young Norwegians, C. W. Rubenson and Conrad-Aas, in 1907. After immense labours in hacking their way up the intricate ice-falls of the Kabru Glacier and many uncomfortable days spent in high camps they gained the summit ridge about 50 feet below the summit and some distance from it horizontally. Intense cold and the lateness of the hour forced them to retreat. Owing to the War no further attempts were made on Kanchenjunga until 1929, when the mountain was twice attacked by two separate parties, one going before and the other after the monsoon.

The first effort can hardly rank as an "attempt" for it was one of the maddest pieces of bad mountaineering that can be imagined. An American, Mr. E. Farmer, started from Darjeeling on April 27th with a small banderbast of porters. He left Tseram, a village on the Nepalese flanks of Kanchenjunga, with three porters and four days' food and proceeded up the Yalung Glacier, presumably following the route of the ill-fated Crowley expedition. He established three camps and finally, on May 26th, set off with his porters, unequipped with either rope or rucksack. The snow conditions proved dangerous—probably like those encountered by the Crowley and the Swiss—and the porters refused to advance farther. Mr. Farmer, however, insisted on going on alone and was last seen by his porters climbing upwards towards the Talung Saddle at about 22,000 feet. He never returned.

THE SECOND EXPEDITION.

The second attempt in 1929 was a very different affair. Kanchenjunga was at last attacked by a properly equipped and exceptionally strong party of expert Bavarian mountaineers. This party, which was led by Dr. Bauer, included some of the most brilliant young climbers from the Munich section of the German and Austrian Alpine Club, and was additionally fortunate in securing the services of Mr. E. O. Shebbeare, transport officer of the last Everest expedition, and many of

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APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

REPORT OF AUDITOR-GENERAL.

SOME CURIOUS ITEMS.

The report of the Comptroller and Auditor-General on the Free State Appropriation Accounts for 1928-1929 was issued yesterday. The Auditor-General says that in previous years he referred to the delay in the balancing of income tax accounts, but the position is now, on the whole, satisfactory. He adds that a test examination of the revenue account was carried out with satisfactory results.

Gross over-payments of old age pensions at the end of 1929 amounted to £27,506 15s. 6d. Of this total, a net amount of £13,557 5s. 6d. has been written off as irrecoverable; £123 19s. has been recovered in cash and £11,601 16s. 6d. by withholding payment of pension orders; the balance, £2,223 14s. 6d., being in process of recovery.

In his remarks on the public works and buildings rate, the Auditor-General says: "A charge of £232 has been included in sub-head D for the purchase of a grand piano. As I understand that it is not usual to supply articles of this kind from the vote, except for educational purposes, I have considered it necessary to call attention to the charge."

QUESTION OF A PENSION.

The issue of a pension to an ex-civil servant without an estimate having been presented in the Dail, caused the Auditor-General to state: "I have represented to the Department of Finance that this award appears to be a departure from the established practice under which the Department, in the award of pensions, is pledged to the Dail not to exceed, in any case, the powers conferred on it by statute. Further, I am of opinion that the payment of a pension of this kind is outside the ambit of the vote for superannuation and retired allowances."

"The accounts of the Post Office factory were submitted to a test examination, with satisfactory results. The cost of new articles manufactured during the year was £10,217, a decrease of £3,119 as compared with the previous year; the total cost of repair works (excluding repairs to mechanical transport) was £14,372, as compared with £14,994 in 1927-28; and the cost of motor repairs increased from £2,054 to £2,334. The extent to which manufacture work will in the future be carried on in the factory is at present under consideration. In some instances the cost of repairs to motor vehicles during the year appeared to be unduly nigh."

Under the heading of Army Gratuities, it is stated that the expenditure under sub-head A 2 "amounted to £228,403 15s. 2d., being £216,403 15s. 2d. in excess of the amount provided in the estimates. The excess expenditure was met from savings on other sub-heads of the vote. In view of the comments of the Public Accounts Committee in their reports on the accounts for the years 1926-27 and 1927-28, I have considered it necessary to call attention to the extensive use of virement in this sub-head."

ARMY EXPENDITURE.

In his remarks on Army expenditure, the Auditor-General says:—

"It was observed that a sum of £45 14s. 1d. was expended on the supply of curtains for the quarters of a junior officer. The number of apartments provided for appeared to be in excess of the number authorised by regulation.

"An officer who occupied furnished quarters at a station was appointed to another station on 18th April, 1926, and a house at the latter place was renovated for occupation by him at a cost of £340, and furnished to the scale appropriate to the rank of colonel. It was ready for occupation about 26th May, 1927, but it was not occupied by him. He was appointed to a post at headquarters on 1st August, 1927, and a house in Dublin was renovated at a cost of £368 2s. 8d., and furnished at a cost of £529 18s. 4d. It was ready for occupation in March, 1928.

"As it appeared to me that portion of this expenditure could have been avoided in view of the pending reduction in Army strength, I was informed in reply to my inquiry that the work on the first house was carried out so as to have suitable accommodation available for the officer commanding, and that in view of the scarcity of accommodation for married officers in Dublin, it was considered desirable to allot the second-mentioned house as married officers' quarters, it being in excess of requirements for other purposes."

SOVIET'S OPPRESSION OF RELIGION.

SPECIAL DAY OF PRAYER.

The following statement has been issued from Lambeth Palace:—

"The Archbishops of Canterbury and York have asked that Sunday, March 16th, the second Sunday in Lent, shall be observed in all the churches within their provinces as a Day of Prayer on behalf of those who are suffering oppression in Russia through loyalty to their religious faith.

"It is not proposed to issue any form of Service for general use. Each bishop will give such guidance and direction for his own diocese as he thinks fit.

"It is hoped that special prayers will be continued during the week following March 16th, and it will be remembered that His Holiness the Pope has asked all who owe allegiance to him to join with his intercessions on Wednesday, March 19th."

It is understood that the Evangelical Free Churches in Great Britain will observe Sunday, March 16th, as a Day of Prayer, and on or about that day prayers will be offered in many parts of Europe and in the United States of America.

ALLEGED PROTEST BY RABBIS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

MOSCOW, Thursday.

An appeal, bearing the names of the Rabbi Menakhem Glaskin and five other Rabbis, has been circulated to the Soviet Press protesting against the Pope's "call to a crusade against the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics" on the ground of the persecution of religion. As to those who have come forward abroad in defence of the Jews in Soviet Russia, the document says that they need no such defence; that Jews are never persecuted for their religious beliefs, though in some cases Jewish ministers of religion have been legally condemned for violation of the Soviet laws. The reports of the execution of Rabbis or of their subjection to other severe punishments are described as inventions. The statement also asserts that "the closing of synagogues has been the result of the demand of the Jewish masses, not of the demand of the State authorities."

It is further stated that "several Rabbis of Minsk, recently arrested for violation of the Soviet laws, were soon released."

MOTOR ACCIDENT IN FOG.

During the fog last night Ambrose Kenealey and Henry Browne, commercial travellers, of Dublin, were slightly injured when a Ford car in which they were travelling ran into a bank near Rathcoole, and overturning, pinned them beneath it.

MR BLYTHE USES THE AXE.

UPROAR AROUND THE "GUILLOTINE."

RUSHING GREATER DUBLIN BILL.

FROM OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.

The commencement of business in the Dail yesterday was deceptively quiet. Deputy MacEntee continued at great length a speech which he had commenced on Thursday night. The "Greater Dublin" Bill was the deification of bureaucracy, he said. The attitude of the Minister for Local Government in restricting the growth of the city towards the south was similar to that of the Chinese parents who bound their children's feet.

According to Captain Redmond, Deputy Good is the Canute of Pembroke, and might as well go out to Sandymount and try to stop the incoming tide as to oppose the inclusion of Rathmines and Pembroke in Greater Dublin. If it had not been for vigorous wirepulling, both urban districts would have been included long ago. If they were going to include the hinterland of Blackrock, why not the whole county?

THE COST OF ORATORY.

Dr. Hennessy supported the bill, and declared that Mr. MacEntee's two hours' speech had been a mountain of labour which had brought forth a ridiculous mouse, and a very shabby mouse at that. Dr. Hennessy thanked God that he was not a fluent speaker himself. The ratepayers were fortunate in not having to pay for the reports of his speeches as they had to pay for those of Deputy MacEntee.

Dr. Hennessy qualified his support of the bill by pointing out that City Managers, like other people, were born tainted with original sin, and provision should be made to curb that weakness.

In response to some interruption the doctor informed the House, "I hear only myself when speaking."

Deputy Briscoe, who followed, pointed out that the experiences of the people of Cork under a City Manager had been such as to warn the people of Dublin to be wary of trying such experiments.

MR. BLYTHE SWINGS THE AXE.

While Mr. Briscoe was speaking, Deputies Fahy, Derrig and Little were much pre-occupied with long strings of notes and newspaper cuttings, obviously oratorical slings and arrows, which they proposed to hurl at the Minister for Local Government when their turn should come. Their hopes were short-lived, however; for as soon as Deputy Briscoe subsided, Mr. Blythe rose and said: "I ask leave to move that the question be now put."

Instantly Deputy O'Kelly jumped up to ask if other Dublin deputies would be allowed to speak on the bill.

The Speaker read the Standing Order which provides that such a motion as Mr. Blythe's can be put if the Speaker is satisfied that it does not infringe the rights of the minority.

THE STORM RISES.

An angry roar came from the Fianna Fail and Labour benches as the suspicion dawned upon those deputies that they had been trapped into permitting a number of their supporters to leave the House under the impression that no division was imminent.

"It is a most partisan and unfair decision on your part," shouted Deputy O'Kelly to the Speaker.

"This has been common talk in the Lobby for the last two hours," roared Deputy Lemass, adding that the whole thing had been arranged with the Government Whips.

The motion for the closure was carried by 70 votes to 57.

Mr. O'Connell's amendment declining to give the bill a second reading was then put and defeated by 71 votes to 58

"THE SEA-GREEN INCORRUPTIBLE."

Questions and accusations then buzzed around the head of the Speaker like a swarm of angry hornets. The rights of the minority had not been respected; the Speaker was "a tool of the Government Party"; the Government Whip should be in the chair; "dirty work had to be done for £1,700 a year," and so on.

The Speaker sat smiling quietly in his chair as the pandemonium increased. He was not the only object of attack, however.

"Look at the Attorney-General! Look at the Attorney-General! Look at the Attorney-General!" bellowed Deputy Flinn at Mr. Vincent Rice.

"Army Service Corps, where is your uniform?" retorted that gentleman.

While the tumult was still at its height the Speaker, still wearing that amused smile, calmly rose and left the chair, amid ironical cheers for "the new Government Party Whip."

The deputies then surged out into the Lobbies, arguing and shouting at the top of their voices.

The further stages of this bill should be of considerable interest.

CIRCUIT COURT PRACTICE.

THE NEW DRAFT RULES.

The draft rules for the conduct of cases and practice in the Free State Circuit Court, having been approved by the Minister for Justice, have now been issued, and await the approval of the Oireachtas. The rules are the outcome of the deliberations of a committee of three members of the Bar and three members of the solicitors' profession, which has been considering the framing of rules for the Circuit Courts for a considerable time.

The draft rules, as at present published, do not embody any remarkable change from the practice hitherto adopted in the working of the old County Courts or the Circuit Courts for the past six years.

The work of Circuit Court judges will be greatly expedited and lessened by the fact that undefended civil bills will no longer appear in the judge's lists, such cases being dealt with in the County Registrar's Offices.

The rules also provide machinery for the service of court documents outside the Free State in cases in which the subject matter of the action is within the jurisdiction, or where the cause of action has arisen within the jurisdiction.

The County Registrar is to be the proper officer of the court, and responsible for the conduct of the court offices within his county area. As well as having power to take affidavits and administer oaths in the taking of accounts and inquiries ordered by the court, the County Registrar will have all the powers of the Examiner in the High Court of Justice.

As regards fixing costs in actions, the judge is allowed considerable discretion. In actions up to £100, costs are to be based on the County Court basis, and over that sum and in equity suits on the basis of two-thirds of the High Court costs for like amounts.

COLLISION IN THE MERSEY.

DUBLIN-LIVERPOOL BOAT DAMAGED.

The Irish steamer, Lady Limerick, and the Birkenhead luggage ferryboat, Oxton, were in collision in the Mersey yesterday afternoon during a dense fog which enveloped the river all day.

The Lady Limerick went into dock for inspection, but it is thought that she did not sustain serious damage, and will be able to sail again on Monday.

A NEW NATIONAL PARTY.

IRISH LABOUR'S DECISION.

POLITICAL WING TO BE ESTABLISHED.

By a large majority a special Congress of the Irish Labour Party and Trades Union Congress, which was held at the Teachers' Hall, Parnell square, Dublin, yesterday, decided to establish a National Labour Party, separate from the Trades Union Congress.

Deputy T. J. O'Connell presided over the Congress, which was attended by 110 delegates from trade unions, Trades and Workers' Councils and Labour Parties. Most of the Labour deputies and senators were present, and the delegates represented Belfast, Cork, Limerick, Waterford and other centres besides Dublin.

THE CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS.

In his presidential address, Mr O'Connell said that the decisions of the Congress would be fraught with consequences of the utmost importance to the Labour movement and the country as a whole.

Having traced the history of the Congress, he went on to say that, whatever divergences of view there might be about details, there was no real possibility of disagreement upon the proposal that the political side of their work should hence forth be undertaken by a special organisation.

THE TWO GOVERNMENTS.

"In both parts of our divided country," continued Mr. O'Connell, "electors have been disillusionised. In the North-East the Government has been able, by jerry-mandered constituencies and reversion to the old electoral system and by means of subsidies from the British Exchequer, to maintain itself in power with a comfortable parliamentary majority. In the Saorstat area the Government's parliamentary majority is small and precarious, and there are signs that Ministers are very uneasy about their fate at the next general election. Any Government that has been long in office has to reckon on a certain amount of boredom and longing for change merely as change, but this Government has to reckon with positive dissatisfaction and hostility.

"Electors are disgusted and humiliated by the Government's attempts to play the dictator, suspicious of its leanings towards a new imperialism, irritated with its piecemeal and inconsequential tinkering with social problems, and dissatisfied with its obvious lack of any coherent body of political or economic principle. The country would, I believe, welcome a change of Government. Indeed, I should not be surprised to find that Ministers themselves would not be averse to a period of opposition. But I do not think that the country is yet prepared to entrust its destinies to Fianna Fail, nor do I find anything in the record of the achievements of that party or the speeches of its leaders which would justify electors in trusting their political, social and economic welfare to its care.

A HANDICAP.

"There was a time when the very idea of a Labour Government would have been laughed to scorn. But our public now knows that practically every other country in Europe has, or has had, and will again have, a Labour Government, and that handicap of the past has now disappeared. But one handicap remains. We must remodel our machinery of organisation, so that we can carry our message of hope to every county and city, and so that we can mobilise into an effective electoral army every man and woman of intelligence and good-will.

"Our ranks must be as comprehensive as our policies, uniting farmer and town-worker, wage-earner, salary-earner, professional man, shopkeeper, industrialist, housewife, in the bonds of genuine political conviction, realist patriotism and patient enthusiasm for social progress and reconstruction."

THE RESOLUTION.

The proposal to separate the Labour Party and the Trade Union Congress was moved by Mr. William Norton, General Secretary of the Irish Post Office Workers' Union.

An amendment by the Irish Women Workers' Union to the effect that the two bodies, though having separate machinery, should operate as sections of a single movement, received little support, and Mr. Norton's motion was carried, with only two or three dissentients.

The meeting discussed a revised constitution for the Trade Union Congress, which had been drafted by a special committee set up by direction of the annual meeting of the organisation at Limerick last August. Although a number of amendments to the committee's proposals were on the agenda, only one was adopted. This amendment provided that the officers of the reorganised Congress could not at the same time be officers of the reorganised Labour Party. With this alteration the new text of the Trade Union Congress constitution was approved *nem con.*

LABOUR PARTY CONSTITUTION.

A proposal that the decision upon the new constitution for the Labour Party should not be taken until next August was moved, but withdrawn, after discussion. This morning, therefore, the meeting will consider the Labour Party constitution in detail.

OMNIBUS AND TRAM IN COLLISION.

THREE PERSONS INJURED IN DUBLIN.

In the dense fog three people were injured in a collision between a tramcar and an omnibus at Portobello Bridge, Dublin, at about eleven o'clock last night. They were taken to the Meath Hospital in the Fire Brigade ambulance. The injured persons are:—

George Cunnian (34), 5 O'Neill's cottages, Dolphin's Barn—Injuries to right leg and to eyes.

David Finlay (43), 91 Ranelagh road, Dublin—Severe cut on temple.

A young woman, whose name has not transpired, and who is suffering from shock.

TARIFF TRUCE TO BE SHELVED.

COUNTRIES TO DEFINE POINTS OF VIEW.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

GENEVA, Friday.

The possibility of the question of a tariff truce being shelved for the present is envisaged in the announcement of the Chairman of the Sub-Committee of the Tariff Truce Conference to-day that meetings will be suspended until certain delegations are in a position to define their point of view. This was generally expected after the sensation yesterday, when M. Serruys, the French delegate, stated that the French delegation was unable to entertain the idea of a tariff truce on the lines described in the preliminary draft convention placed before the conference. On the other hand, the committee dealing with the programme for a future conference will hold a meeting to-morrow to consider the work of its sub-committees.

LATE NEWS.

BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH "THE TIMES."

THE INDIAN BUDGET.

BEST FOR THREE YEARS.

The Times of to-day, in a leading article on the Indian Budget, says:—Judged by the canons of good finance, Sir George Schuster's second Budget is better than the first. Indeed, it is the best for three years. It provides for a real surplus obtainable from regular sources of revenue, and there is a complete absence of those devices by which a real deficit was converted into an apparent surplus in the two previous years. It was not, of course, improper to appropriate the balance of the Revenue Reserve Fund to balance last year's Budget. Indeed, it was a legitimate action of the Finance Member, but there is a genuine difference between balancing a Budget out of current revenue and balancing it by utilising exceptional windfalls or reserve funds. A Budget balanced by these means is apt to create a misleading impression of the real state of the Treasury, and to accentuate troubles later, especially when the exhaustion of reserve funds coincides with a period of depression, and trade and industry are less able to bear a burden of additional, but unavoidable, taxation.

The Budget year, which ends on March 31st, is expected to close with a surplus of ninety lakhs. On the existing basis of taxation the estimates would have shown for the coming year the formidable deficit of 410 lakhs. Sir George Schuster's solution of this awkward problem is a strong Budget. He imposes nearly five crores of new taxation, a programme which loses none of its boldness by being proposed at a moment when trade is more depressed than it has been for a long time. But in submitting such a Budget the Government of India shows a commendable sense of realities and reveals its determination to maintain the credit of India. The deplorable happenings at Lahore, when the extremists openly talked of repudiating debt, should they ever be given power to do so, have made a strong financial policy not less, but more, important. It would be fatally easy to undo in a few short years the achievements of a generation.

The proposed changes in taxation will produce a total extra revenue of 480 lakhs and leave a surplus of 70 lakhs. Five existing duties and taxes are increased, the old import duty on silver is reimposed, while one-quarter of the export duty on rice is remitted. This remission of a duty, which is of doubtful value to India's economy, will cost 30 lakhs; the re-imposition of the duty on silver imports will yield 100 lakhs, the increased duty on imported sugar 130 lakhs, the increased duty on imports of cotton piece-goods 125 lakhs, modification of the kerosene duties 35 lakhs, higher rates of income tax 55 lakhs, and of super-tax 14 lakhs. For more than one reason the most important of these proposals is that which concerns cotton goods.

FRESH TAXATION.

INCREASED SUGAR AND COTTON DUTIES.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW DELHI, Friday.

A number of fresh taxation proposals calculated to give a Budget surplus of 70 lakhs of rupees, and enable the Government to cover the present financial gap, and also give more assistance to the provinces, was an outstanding feature of the Budget speech delivered in the Legislative Assembly to-day by Sir George Schuster, Finance member of the Governor-General's Council.

The new taxation proposed for revenue purposes fell on the Excise duty on kerosene, which was raised from 1 anna to 1 anna 6 pies; the import duty on kerosene being reduced from 2½ to 2 annas 3 pies; on the import duty on sugar, which was subjected to an all-round increase of 1½ rupees per cwt.; on income tax and super tax the rates on incomes of 15,000 rupees and upwards being raised by one pie in the rupee, and a corresponding increase being made in the super tax in all grades other than the flat rate of super-tax on companies; on silver, on which the old import duty of 40 per ounce was re-introduced, a full rebate being allowed on the re-export of silver which had paid duty, and on cotton piece goods, on which the revenue duty was raised from 11 per cent. to 15 per cent., which was the general level of the revenue tariff.

The most difficult problem in connection with raising the necessary new revenue centred in the cotton duties.

SITUATION IN SPAIN.

SENOR GUERRA'S SPEECH.

FROM "THE TIMES" OWN CORRESPONDENT.

MADRID, Friday.

Senor Sanchez Guerra's speech yesterday at the Zarzuela Theatre has caused a profound impression all over Spain. Its importance lies in the fact that, after careful consideration of the gravity of his action, the former Conservative Prime Minister has not hesitated to break with King Alfonso in as spectacular a manner as could be devised, thus doing disservice to the Monarchy while still somewhat paradoxically calling himself a Monarchist.

On the other hand, Senor Sanchez Guerra's silence as to his future action is very disconcerting to his friends and to those others who up to the present have looked upon him as their leader. When he declared yesterday that he had not turned Republican, but could not serve the King, it was believed that he meant to retire. He now declares, however, that he will remain active in politics until he draws his last breath. In what direction, therefore, will he now act?

At a moment when public opinion is looking for new leaders, Senor Sanchez Guerra's speech has not been helpful. It has increased the confusion in political circles, and it has alarmed the Government as to the results attending freedom of speech and the effects produced on the crowd.

MISSIONARIES MURDERED.

A message from a correspondent of *The Times* in Hong Kong published to-day, states:—According to a report received by the Salesian Mission in Hong Kong, Bishop Versiglia and Father Caravario, both Salesian missionaries, and three Chinese nuns, were killed in the North River district by pirates a few days ago, following an unsuccessful attempt by the pirates to extort money.

It appears that the bishop and his companions were making a pastoral visit, and were held up at Sui-ping by a gang, who attacked the boat in which they were travelling and demanded £50. Meeting with a refusal, the pirates seized the nuns. The Bishop and the Father intervened, and were assaulted. Eventually all five were carried off to the hills, detained there three days, and then murdered.

THE SERVICES AND INTERCESSION.

The days of Intercession for Christians in Soviet Russia appointed by the Church of England will not be observed in the Navy or Army at home or abroad, and on this subject the Parliamentary Correspondent of *The Times* writes:—Members of the House of Commons are anxious for further information concerning the letter issued to the Navy, the Army and the Air Force, and it is possible that the Conservative section of the Opposition may attempt to move the adjournment of the House of Commons on Monday, or ask for a day for a discussion of the Government's action.

The Irish Section of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom has passed a resolution welcoming the Naval Conference as a step towards general disarmament.

KING ALFONSO'S THRONE.

QUESTION ON LIPS OF ALL SPANIARDS.

DEMONSTRATIONS.

PREMIER AND SENOR GUERRA'S SPEECH.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

MADRID, Friday.

Will King Alfonso succeed in keeping his Throne?

That is the question on the lips of all Spaniards. The King's personal position has occupied the political limelight from the hour that the Dictator fell, and the attacks made on the Monarch by Senor Sanchez Guerra, the former Prime Minister, yesterday, emphasised his critical situation.

With regard to the effect of Senor Sanchez Guerra's diatribe, the position is, if anything, more confused than before.

King Alfonso is still in a fairly strong position. He can count on a large part of the Army, on the Church, which is a great power in Spain, and on a large part of the Conservative element, while the women are generally among his supporters.

WOMEN DEFEND THE KING.

There is no doubt that Senor Guerra did not say all he had in his mind. His hostile attitude towards the King himself provides an enigma, in view of his known monarchical principles, as to whom he proposes for a substitute.

For some time rumours have prevailed that Don Carlos of Bourbon will succeed Don Jaime, the Carlist leader, as pretender to the Spanish Throne. Don Jaime no longer takes any interest in politics. Don Carlos, however, left Spain for France yesterday.

Women of Madrid are busy distributing pamphlets in defence of the King.

A large number of unemployed demonstrated to-day in the streets of Madrid, and finally marched to the Medical Faculty, where they invited the students to join them.

The students trooped into the street, shouting "Down with the King" and "Long live the Republic," and the unemployed too up the cries with gusto.

Disturbances have been reported from several parts of Spain, and there were students' riots in Barcelona yesterday, followed by a number of arrests.

SENOR GUERRA'S SPEECH.

GENERAL BERENGUER'S VIEW.

General Berenguer, the Prime Minister, minimised the importance of Senor Guerra's speech when questioned by journalists to-day, saying that it was only the utterance of a statesman who was no longer in contact with practical politics. "What is really important," he said, "is the disorders which ensued. Although these were not of very great importance, they have proved the necessity of not yet permitting individuals to air their views."

RISING IN SANTO DOMINGO.

REBEL LEADER BECOMES PRESIDENT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Friday.

A message from Santo Domingo says that Rafael Estrella Urena, the leading figure of the revolt in the Dominican Republic against President Vasquez has supplanted his rival and been made provisional President, states the Associated Press. To-day the State Department in Washington received a despatch from the American Minister in Santo Domingo stating that an armistice had been reached between the contending factions, and that it was hoped that a basis for a permanent settlement had been attained. The British sloop, H.M.S. Wistaria, was reported yesterday to have sailed for Santo Domingo, but it is understood that no landing by British forces is planned.

REBELS SENTENCED TO DEATH.

INDO-CHINA REVOLT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

HANAU, INDO CHINA, Friday.

The rebels implicated in the recent revolt at Yenday have been summarily tried. Thirteen were sentenced to death, one to penal servitude for life, and one to twenty years' penal servitude. Those sentenced to death are all natives, and include a doctor, a school-teacher, two shop-keepers, three farmers, four corporals and three privates.

THICK FOG IN BELFAST

CROSS-CHANNEL BOATS HELD UP.

So dense was the fog over Belfast during the night that none of the cross-Channel steamers was able to leave the port. At two a.m. the Heysham, Liverpool, Ardrossan and Glasgow steamers were still at their berths.

OBITUARY

DR. W. H. ELLIOTT.

The death occurred yesterday of Dr. W. H. Elliott, Castlerock, Co. Derry. He was aged eighty-two, and was son of the late Dr. W. A. Elliott, F.R.C.S., Dublin. He was for many years medical officer in Londonderry.

THE NATIONAL MONUMENTS ACT, 1930.

The National Monuments Act, 1930, has received the King's assent, signified by the Governor-General of the Irish Free State.

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IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT

HOARDINGS AS A NUISANCE.

BILL TO REGULATE THEIR USE.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.
WESTMINSTER, Friday.

The majority of members stayed away from the House of Commons this afternoon, with the rather unfortunate result that the House was counted out shortly after one o'clock, and the Advertisements Regulation (Amendment) Bill, which sought to extend the powers of local authorities in regard to disfiguring advertisements and posters, was brought to a premature end.

Sir Alfred Knox, who was responsible for the measure, explained that there was a very large body of opinion behind it, but it was not so vociferous as that of the vested interests which had conducted an active propaganda against the bill. He argued that many of the advertisements which at present spoiled the countryside were really anti-British, and he instanced placards which invited people to spend their winter at Monte Carlo and their summer at Deauville.

Mr. W. E. D. Allen, Conservative member for Belfast, West, moved the rejection of the bill. His father, he said, was a "bill-sticker," and he remembered how, as a small boy, he was thrilled when he saw the notices: "Bill-stickers will be prosecuted." (Laughter.) He imagined his father dashing from point-to-point in the early hours of the morning, sticking up bills, with the flying squad behind him. Bill-sticking, he explained, was a highly qualified job, and in many families was a hereditary one. If this bill passed it would reduce the number of hoardings by 25 to 40 per cent., and would lead to acute unemployment. As an august personage once said—hoardings were the poor man's picture gallery. They appealed to the poor man's taste and humour. Even the Bolsheviks were keen bill-posters—(laughter)—and he remembered seeing in Russia a poster inciting people to read more and wash more. (Laughter.)

Mr. Isaacs was delighting the few members in the House with a display of artistically coloured posters when the House was counted out.

ST. PATRICK'S NURSES HOME.

WORK IN HOMES OF SICK POOR.

The annual meeting of the St. Patrick's Nurses' Home, for supplying trained nurses to the sick poor in their own homes, was held yesterday afternoon at the Home, 101 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin—the Most Rev. Dr. Gregg, Archbishop of Dublin, presiding.

The Archbishop said that he had been in the chair at these meetings for the past ten years, and on each occasion there was set in front of him a record of splendid work—absolutely indispensable work—done in the most courageous and Christian spirit. Of the 1,142 new cases treated, half were labourers or unemployed. That showed the extraordinary value of the work done. 23,150 visits were paid by nurses to patients' homes. Their good friend, Bishop Plunket, gave the munificent sum of £324 as a contribution towards painting and repairs of the Home. (Applause.)

The annual report was read by the Rev. Canon Crozier.

FIFTY-THREE YEARS' SERVICE.

The report stated that St. Patrick's Nurses' Home had completed 53 years of service to the poor of the city.

There were 93 cases on the books at the close of 1928, and during the twelve months 1,142 new cases were treated, making a total of 1,235. During the year 23,150 visits were paid by the nurses.

VOLUNTARY EFFORT.

The Rev. Canon A. E. Hughes, M.A., Leeson Park, proposed the adoption of the report and statement of accounts. He said that the work of such institutions as that could only be done efficiently by voluntary effort.

Miss Colburn, Superintendent for Ireland of the Queen's Institute of District Nursing, in seconding, said that the Queen's Jubilee nurse was a trained nurse and a trained midwife. She agreed with Canon Hughes as regarded voluntary effort. Their aim and object was that there should be throughout Ireland a nurse available for every homestead. There were 200 nursing associations in Ireland, and they would require 100 more if they were to meet the requests of the Medical Officers of Health. Dublin supplied all Ireland with Queen's Jubilee nurses.

The resolution was passed.

KANCHENJUNGA.

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the porters who accomplished great feats of endurance on Everest. Leaving Darjeeling they went by way of Gantok and Lachen to the Zemu Glacier on the eastern side of Kanchenjunga, where they made their base camp. They then attacked the long ice ridge which falls from the main north ridge of Kanchenjunga to the Zemu Glacier at an angle of about 45 degrees.

THE LAST WEAPON.

The difficulties of the ridge proved terrific. Huge towers of solid ice alternated with narrow edges, where the ridge thinned down to a mere unstable ice-blade. Almost every foot of their progress required toilsome hacking with the ice axe; pitons had to be driven into the ice, ropes fixed to enable the laden porters to follow. Camps were made on ice ledges so narrow that there was scarcely room for more than two or three climbers at a time. It must have been heartrending when a snowstorm forced them to retreat and obliterated the ice steps they had so laboriously cut. But heroically the party returned and recommenced their labours. Three weeks of work were necessary to gain 2,300 feet of altitude on the ice ridge, but they were rewarded at last by getting to a point about 24,600 feet high, where the difficulties dwindled away and the route to the summit appeared practicable.

A SNOWSTORM.

But Kanchenjunga had another weapon in store. A snowstorm, in which no less than six feet of snow fell, forced them down again. No Himalayan party has ever encountered difficulties so great as did the Bavarians on the ice ridge, and that they were able to retreat safely in bad weather after undergoing terrible cold and hardships, which included a bivouac in the open without tents or sleeping bags, proves their fortitude and mountaineering skill. The supreme test of mountaineering is to be able to retreat safely in the face of adverse circumstances, and the Bavarian party are to be congratulated on not only having accomplished the most difficult climbing on record at a great altitude, but also in having faced an ugly situation and mastered it without loss of life.

NO MARGIN OF ERROR.

What are the lessons to be learned from these past attempts on Kanchenjunga? Firstly, that it is not a mountain to suffer fools gladly. It allows no margin, forgives no mistakes. It is a relentless opponent, which will hit back with every weapon in its armoury, with storm, cold, avalanche and the more insidious devices of sheer altitude. Yet it has been proved assailable by an expert party of mountaineers who neglect no preparations, observe all precautions, and attack it purposefully and methodically, remembering always the lessons learnt, some of them at such great cost, by former parties on the giants of the Himalaya. Kanchenjunga is surely a mountain that can, and will, be climbed.

EXPEDITIOUS PORTERS.

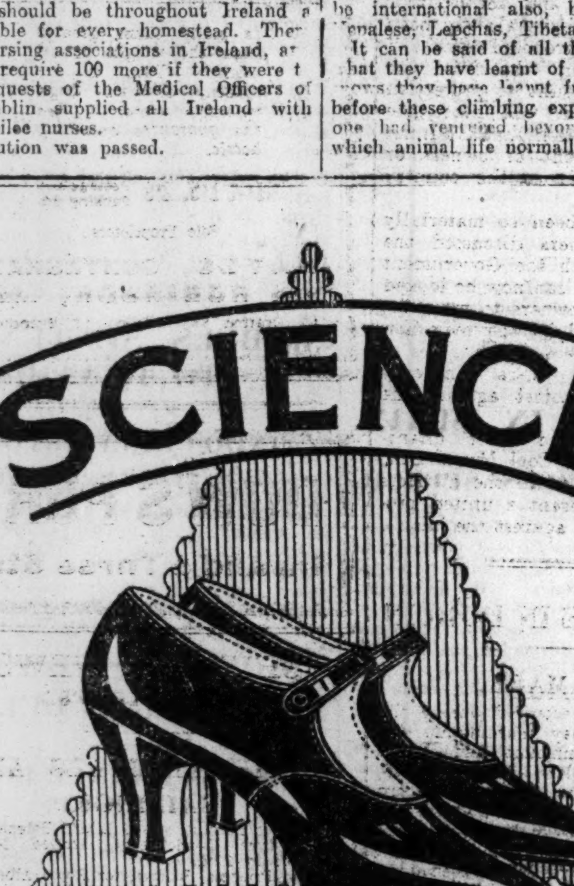
FROM THE CORRESPONDENT OF "THE TIMES."
CALCUTTA, February 28.

Discussing the chances of the Kanchenjunga expedition, the *Statesman* says:—It is well for mountaineering expeditions in the Himalayas that there is now growing up among the hillmen of Darjeeling some kind of real climbing tradition. Good and stout porters and coolies are more readily found when men who have already been up in the snows are treated with respect and put on airs. Now men rush eagerly to engage, in order, as they say, to make their names bigger.

It is a mistake to suppose that the porters who have accompanied recent expeditions are Sherpas specially brought for the purpose from the southern slopes of Mount Everest. The bulk of them are not Sherpas at all, but the average rickshaw and dandy-wallah of Darjeeling. There is a quaint mixture of races in Sikkim, and the porters and coolies of Darjeeling have more Tibetan blood than anything else, and prefer to call themselves, and dress like, Tibetans. It will be found, when this new international expedition takes the road, that the porters and carriers will be international also, being composed of Nepalese, Lepchas, Tibetans and Bhutanese.

It can be said of all these last races that what they have learnt of climbing among the snows they have learnt from Europeans; for before these climbing expeditions began not one had ventured beyond the altitudes at which animal life normally ceases.

SCIENCE



The True Story of a Pair of Shoes.

IRRETRIEVABLY ruined—at least so I thought, and I blamed my carelessness for the catastrophe.

Six months previously they had lured away three of my precious guineas, but their air of distinction and their absolute comfort reconciled me to the exchange.

Having left them aside after very little use I was horrified to find that they had become so hard and uncomfortable that I could not wear them. I was in despair until a friend advised me to try Science Cream.

I can sum up the result in a few words. For an expenditure of ninepence, my three guinea shoes were restored to me in all their pristine beauty, and with the softness and suppleness of a kid glove.

Science Cream and no other for me, please!

Seven Colours: Black, White, Brown, Ruby, Russet, Bulrush and Maroon

BELFAST MUSICAL COMPETITIONS.

PRIZE-WINNING PLAYERS FROM DUBLIN.

EXTEMPORE SPEAKING.

FROM OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.
BELFAST, Friday.

"Altogether a most excellent performance," Mr. Wynn Reeves said this morning of the junior duet, piano and violin competition, for which there were two entries. "They ran each other very close. There were a few things which neither observed sufficiently; the contrast in moods in the Sonatine (Dvorak), 1st movement, was not sufficiently emphasised, nor was the difference between the melodic and the rythmic accents—the same accent was made to serve both purposes. Neither of the two fell into the ordinary trap of covering the violin part when it was in the middle register—a very good point indeed."

PATRICIA MULHOLLAND.

ARTHUR MOWATT.

Patricia Mulholland and A. Mowatt were awarded silver medals and 85 marks, first; Elsie McConnell and Betty Finlay, bronze medals and 83 marks. In the case of these two performers the adjudicator said, when the melody was in the bass, it was rather covered by the accompanying part in the treble; the treble part should be almost non-existent, so that the bass part could stand out quite clearly. Their rhythmic accent was good, but the melodic accent was not quite so good.

The Violin Scale-playing Competition for a £2 prize, to be spent upon music or books, was won by Joan Trimble, Enniskillen, 85 marks; second, Jean M. Best, Newry, 73 marks; third, Mary Young, Dungannon, 72 marks; fourth, Elsie McConnell, 67 marks.

PIANO AND VIOLIN.

Duet for Piano and Violin, Senior. Test piece: Sonata in A minor (Schumann). There were six entries.

Posy Shreider and Myrrha Jephson, Dublin, were awarded silver medals and 89 marks; second, Maureen Woods and Eileen Woods, Dublin, bronze medals and 88 marks; third, Bernadette Turley and Colette Byrne, 86 marks; Meta Wilson and Betty Wilson, Bangor, got 84 marks; Sina Feneran and Gordon O'Neill, 75 marks; Patricia Dorrien and James S. Treanor, 73 marks.

POSY SHREIDER.

MYRRHA JEPHSON.

The standard in this competition, Mr. Wynn Reeves said, was the best he had heard since the beginning of the festival; it was extraordinarily high. The two Dublin sets of players were the only ones who had fully realised the romantic element in the Schumann Sonata. There was nothing to choose between the first and second, except that in one place the second prize-winners had not observed the composer's instructions quite sufficiently.

The gold medal in the men's elocution class was won by Robert Montgomery, with 182 marks; the silver medal went to Daniel F. Wherry (170 marks), the bronze medal to A. Stanley Minnis (68 marks), and James E. Owens, Ballymena, was fourth with 162 marks. The test pieces were: "Santorin" (J. E. Flecker) and "A Tocatta of Galluppi's" (Browning).

Elocution class for boys under 14 and over 12. Test pieces: "The Song of the Ungirt Sunners" (Charles H. Sorley) and "Abou Ben Adhem" (Leigh Hunt). Derrick White won the large silver medal with 161 marks, Frank Kerr the small silver medal with 160 marks, and Harry Gallagher, Bangor, the bronze medal with 159 marks.

Elocution class for girls under 14 and over 12. Test pieces: "The Clouds" (James Stephens) and "Leisure" (W. H. Davies)—Silver medal and 180 marks, Mary Frazer-Hurst; silver medal and 177 marks, Margaret M. D'Arcy; bronze medal and 175 marks, Maureen Hewett. Commended:—Patricia F. Sloane, Gladys Ireland, Maureen Rice, Bangor; Betty Nicholas, Kathleen Kenny, Ballymena; and Elizabeth R. Gillespie.

Senior Violoncello Competition.—Test piece: "Elegie," Op. 24 (Faure). There were four entries. Myrrha Jephson, Dublin, won the gold medal and 99 marks out of a possible 110; Pauline Henry, who was awarded 91 marks, was disqualified for the silver medal, as she had won second prize in the same competition on a former occasion; the medal accordingly went to Claire Matthews, who got 84 marks. Samuel Green got 79 marks.

The standard reached by the winner, Mr. Reeves said, was very high, indeed. The piece was a difficult, nervy one to play, with an involved rhythm. She had succeeded in introducing the velvety *sotto voce* effect so hard to get in 'cello playing, and only to be achieved with a perfectly free, loose bow-arm and perfectly firm fingering. She managed the change of position beautifully, and showed an excellent sense of rhythm—altogether a splendid performance. Pauline Henry's tone was very pleasing, and she had a good general idea of the composition. Claire Matthews's *cantabile* passage was very nice, but was slightly marred by roughness in changing the bow, which should be done absolutely imperceptibly; her rhythm showed slight inaccuracies.

BRETT MEMORIAL CUP.

Sir Charles H. Brett Memorial Cup for Violin-playing, open to prize-winners in the Senior Division, competitors to play two pieces of their own choice, the time not to exceed twelve minutes—Laurence R. M'Ilveen, whose selection was "Legende" (Wieniawski) and "Schön Rosmarin" (Kreisler) won the cup with 88 marks; Bernadette Turley, who played the first and second movements of the "Rode Concerto in A minor," was second with 85 marks. Jean Marshall Best got 80 marks for her rendering of de Beriot's "Concerto No. 9," *Adagio* and *Allegretto moderato* movements.

The winner, Mr. Reeves said, played the first piece not very well; in the second piece he got a very good effect. He must avoid overdoing ornamental effects, and cultivate more variety of tone; his tone was very charming, and he should get more contrast and a more virile quality into his forte passages. Miss Turley showed a little roughness; her attacks on notes were a wee bit on the vicious side, the adjudicator said, and in the rapid passages she played a little too fast; she would need more steadiness.

ELOCUTION.

In the Elocution Class for girls under ten and over eight—test pieces "The Swing" (R. L. Stevenson) and "Once a dream did weave a shade" (William Blake)—Peggie Rawson won the silver medal with 175 marks; Margaret M'Veigh the bronze medal and 170 marks; Annie Ward, Holywood, the bronze medal and 169 marks. There were thirty-six competitors.

Viola solo competition. Test pieces: "Suite No. 4 in E flat" (*Allemande*), and *Courante* only (Bach), and a sight-reading test. There were two competitors. Meta Wilson, Bangor, won the silver medal, with 83 marks, and Thomas Brennan, Holywood, was second, and got the bronze medal and 75 marks.

A trying piece to play, Mr. Reeves said. Unless the player was a master of his instrument he always felt something was going to happen, and every blemish was multiplied many times in his ear. The winner had a good full tone and a fair amount of variety, but freedom of style was lacking.

Team-reading for school-teams of four children under twelve. Competitors were required to read passages of prose and verse

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CORK AND THE CITY MANAGER.

CORPORATION'S WAITING ATTITUDE.

FROM OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.
CORK, Friday.

The Local Government (Ireland) Bill, which has now received its second reading in the Dail, is in many respects similar to the measure under which the Cork Corporation was re-established twelve months ago. The powers of the City Manager, against which there has been a storm of protest from a large section of the newly-elected body here within the past few weeks, are identical, and until the Greater Dublin Bill has passed through the remaining stages, the attitude of the Lord Mayor and his friends would appear to be of a "wait and see" character.

Apparently there is still a glimmer of hope in their breasts that the Government may be forced to concede, to some extent, at all events, the demand for increased power for the elected representatives of the citizens.

The Lord Mayor (Alderman Sean French, T.D.) is at present in Dublin in his capacity as a member of the Dail, but I understand that he has received a communication from the Minister for Local Government and Public Health declining to receive the deputation which was recently appointed by the Corporation to place before him the views of the majority in this connection. A deadlock has, therefore, been reached, and conjecture is useless pending the meeting of the Corporation, which will take place on next Wednesday, when the estimated rates demand for the year ending 31st March, 1931, will be considered.

AN INCREASED RATE.

A probable increase of fourpence in the pound is foreshadowed in this estimate, which was adjourned a few weeks ago until the Minister had been interviewed on the subject of increased powers for the Corporation, but I understand that the higher rate will doubtless be passed.

After that the attitude of the Council is in the balance. Will the majority carry out their intention of taking no part in civic administrative affairs until the powers of the City Manager have been reduced; or will they endeavour to take advantage of their two-third majority to dispense with the services of the City Manager?

£38,000 WATER SCHEME.

SUPPLY FOR SKERRIES AND BALBRIGGAN.

At a cost of £38,000 the Balrothery Rural District Council has completed a scheme for the supply of filtered water to the popular County Dublin seaside towns of Balbriggan and Skerries.

The work was taken in hand by the contractors in August, 1928, and yesterday, after the source of supply had been blessed by the Rev. Canon Ryan, Parish Priest of Skerries, and the Rev. J. Hickey, Parish Priest of Balbriggan, the water was "turned on" in both towns.

AN AMPLE SUPPLY.

The storage reservoir, which has a capacity of 30,000,000 gallons—sufficient for a five and a half months' supply—is situated in the catchment area at Hynestown, five miles from Skerries and three and a half miles from Balbriggan. The service reservoir is at Kilsough South, which is within a mile of Balbriggan, and it holds a two days' supply.

The work was carried out under the supervision of Mr. Edward M. Murphy, B.E., A.M.I.C.E., consulting engineer, of Dublin.

Among those present at Hynestown were: The Rev. J. E. L. Hunter, Balbriggan; Messrs. M. T. Ryan, Local Government Inspector; M. Moynihan, engineer, Dublin County Borough; James Wade, resident engineer; J. F. Stewart, Alexander Thompson, M. Clayton, Peter Kearney, Dublin; W. Comiskey, Chairman, Balbriggan Rural District Council; Colm Lawless, Chairman, Balrothery Rural Council; Charles J. Garland, hon. secretary, Skerries Improvement Committee, and James J. O'Donnell.

SPECIAL GOSPEL SERVICES.

Special Gospel Services are being held in two Dublin Presbyterian churches during the next fortnight—in Ormond quay Church next week, and in Scots' church, Lower Abbey street, on the following week. The Services will begin at 8 o'clock each evening. The special preacher will be the Rev. W. R. Sloan, Belfast.

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chosen by the adjudicator. The selections were from A. A. Milne's "Winnie the Pooh," and "Selected Poems." Holyrood School "B" team and Girton Lodge School team tied for first place, with 62 marks; Holyrood School "A" team was second, with 60 marks.

Mrs. Matthey did not award medals, but certificates were given to the members of each team.

PIANO AND 'CELLO.

There were four competitors, for the duet for piano and 'cello. Test piece: "Sonata in C Minor" (Saint-Saëns) Myrrha Jephson and Olive Dobbin, Dublin, were awarded silver medals, and 90 marks. Norman Greeves and Gordon O'Neill second, bronze medals and 82 marks; Mary King and Samuel J. Green third, 80 marks; Jean Marks and Paul Henry, 78 marks.

It was very easy, Mr. Reeves said, to place the winner, but very hard to place the others. It was as essential that the 'cello should be as important as the piano; in several instances the piano was overwhelming. Elgar once told him, he continued, that one of the great difficulties in one of his works was to get suitable orchestration to get the tone of the 'cello through. The pianist in the winning duet was occasionally too heavy, but the two players were very well matched in other respects. Their general technique and freedom of playing and their ideas of the work were so unanimous that it was inevitable that they should get the prize.

EXTEMPORE SPEAKING.

A competition in extempore speaking for the Robert Duff Cup formed an ordeal of a somewhat novel nature this evening. The large hall of the Assembly Buildings was well filled with an audience whose members evidently were prepared to be well entertained by the efforts of the young friends to talk for five minutes on any given subject at twenty minutes' notice.

"Is Modern Civilisation Conducive to Real Culture?" was the subject, and the adjudicators were the Recorder of Belfast, Mr. H. M. Thompson, K.C., and Mrs. Matthay. Nine competed—three women and six men. The winner was Miss Judith Rosenfield, Belfast (90 marks), who spoke on the negative side.

It was the speech of a cultured woman, Mrs. Matthay said—good voice, and impressed with sense of reality in what she said.

Mr. Thompson praised her poise and resource, and her ability to supply illustrations—one of the highest qualities of oratory.

Mr. W. B. Corkey, Belfast, was second, with 90 marks; Robert Montgomery, Belfast, was third, with 88, and Mrs. Sleaton, Dungannon, fourth, with 86.

The only competitor for the harp solo competition was Gertrude Wright, of Moy, who was awarded the gold medal and 90 marks.

The violoncello competition was won by Valerie Trimble, Enniskillen, who got the gold medal and 85 marks. Maisie McCullagh, Dublin, won the silver medal with 79 marks.

The winner began nervously, Mr. Reeves said, but warmed up, and played very well, indeed. She should study tone gradation. In the second movement of De Fesch's Sonata in D minor she played excellently.

The Florence Irwin Cup for unison team-speaking was competed for by two teams from Stranmillis Training College, both conducted by Miss Abraham. The women's team got 90½ marks, winning the Cup by only half a mark from the men's team.

HIBERNIAN BANK CLERKSHIPS.

Pupils of ROSSE COLLEGE, Stephen's Green, Dublin, gained 6 of the 11 appointments at the last examination (Oct., 1929).—(Advt.)

THE DONNELLAN LECTURES.

LAST OF THE SERIES.

PROFESSOR HALDANE THANKED.

Professor J. S. Haldane, of New College, Oxford University, delivered the third and concluding lecture of this year's Donnellan Lectures in the Graduates' Memorial Hall, Trinity College, yesterday afternoon. The Provost presided.

Pursuing his examination into the subject of "The Theoretical Basis of Scientific Biology," Dr. Haldane said that the fact of conscious behaviour made it necessary to distinguish biology from psychology, the science, or rather great group of sciences or departments of knowledge dealing with our experience as perceived and as voluntary action.

TWO STANDPOINTS.

It was the same world which, from the standpoint of the physical sciences, was regarded as a world of molar and molecular mechanism, from the standpoint of biology as a world of life, and from the standpoint of psychology as a world perceived and the theatre of voluntary action. Each of those standpoints was of evident practical use; but, if they were to avoid confusion, they must distinguish them from one another, and not make exclusive use of one of them unless such use was of practical service. That implied that in science they were not attempting to reach ultimate reality, but only interpretations which were practically useful where fuller knowledge was not immediately needed or available.

In connection with physiology, they have to decide as to where purely physiological or biological interpretations were applicable, and where psychological interpretation became necessary. In biological interpretation they assumed the maintenance and reproduction of specific forms of life, and each life was a unity expressing itself in spatial co-ordination of detailed structure and activity. That unity was interpreted as constantly maintaining and reproducing itself, but doing so without any display of foresight or retrospect—that was to say, blindly. They attributed no foresight or retrospect to a cell in which they found rebuilding or reproduction of its specific structure by assimilation of food, or continuous adaptation in the relation between organism and environment; for life itself was just the continuous adaptation between organism and environment, as well as between the parts of the organism, so that unity of life was maintained.

THE WORLD OF PSYCHOLOGY.

All they could see was blind active reproduction in which the life of the specific stock was maintained. They found that even an embryo was always reacting to the stimulus of the moment, though the influence of the stimulus expressed its own life, so that its life was constant adaptation, just as in the adult stage. Johannes Muller, who was no less great as an anatomist and embryologist than as a physiologist, expressed himself very clearly as to the difference between conscious behaviour and that of a developing embryo. They could mutilate an embryo, or otherwise disturb its natural growth, and watch the blind adaptation which still continued to be expressed in its further behaviour. As Driesch had shown by experiment, and as Muller inferred, no mechanistic conception would cover the facts. Nevertheless, the mutilated or disturbed embryo behaved simply as if it were reacting to the stimuli, or absence of stimuli, of the moment.

The phenomena of conscious behaviour, proceeded Dr. Haldane, took them into a differently interpreted world from that of biological interpretation, just as the biological world was differently interpreted from that of the physical sciences or mathematics. Hence biology did not and could not deal with psychologically interpreted phenomena, but could only treat the phenomena it dealt with as if psychological phenomena did not exist or could be left entirely out of consideration. The world of psychology was the world of interest and values—the world with which history, including anthropology, art, political science, law and literature outside that of mathematical, physical and biological science, dealt.

A DARWINIAN THEORY.

In these lectures he was concerned with biology, and with physiology as a part of it. They could easily investigate every kind of physiological activity without regard to its psychological aspects. A very apposite example of that was the study of breathing considered in his previous lecture. Breathing was used in the expression of language, emotion and art. Nevertheless they could study the manner in which it was regulated physiologically if they left out of account its conscious employment. To take another example: They could study colour-vision physiologically without reference to the perception of coloured objects as such, or of whether or not they were of interest as significant of other things, or as beautiful or ugly. They had only to abstract from what was distinctively psychological, and they were left with an abundance of experience into which physiological study alone could bring order.

In investigating the structure of any species of organism, morphology or anatomy, assumed and demonstrated with ever-increasing completeness how the relationship of the parts were persistent and specific. In the light of the theory of organic evolution and the facts revealed by palæontology it became possible to attribute the fundamental identities in structural relationships to community of descent. It was often supposed, or assumed off-hand, that the Darwinian theory of differentiation of species by natural selection amounted to a physico-chemical theory of the differentiation of structure in living organisms, and a step towards a mechanistic conception of life. It seemed to him that that was by no means the case. The theory depended in the first place on the natural occurrence of variation, and, in the second place, on the fact of hereditary transmission. When they examined carefully into what they could superficially interpret as the mere physical and chemical structures of the different individuals in a species—for instance, man—they found distinct differences, which were actively maintained in the individual, and were presumably heritable.

AN AGE OF PHYSICAL REALISM.

It was only when they made an impossible separation between living organisms and a physico-chemical environment surrounding them that it appeared as if living organisms, with fixed hereditary tendencies, were subject to the influence of an external environment. As soon as they realised that the unity of life extended over the environment, the appearance of a mechanical action of environment on life ceased. Structure and functional relation to environment could not be separated in the serious scientific study of life, since structure expressed the maintenance of function and function expressed the maintenance of structure. The fundamental axiom of biology, it seemed to him, was that in the scientific treatment of biology they assumed that the phenomena dealt with whether they referred to activity, environment, or structure, were manifestations of the unity which they called the life of an organism, and which they could not define in terms of anything simpler.

There was, said the lecturer, no definite point at which life began to interfere with physico-chemical action, since, so far as biological phenomena were concerned, there was no such thing as physico-chemical action. The conception of life as a co-ordinated unity, maintaining itself throughout what, from the physical and chemical standpoint, was an indefinite mass, enabled them to treat the phenomena scientifically, so that they could use their conception for predicting what would happen. They were still living in an age which, he thought, their successors would some day look back upon with curiosity and wonder as an age characterised especially by physical realism, an age curiously blind in some, but by no means all, respects to what would then appear as outstanding spiritual values, and concealing them behind scientific abstractions, which it had taken for representations of reality, and proceeded to bow down before, though they were only its own creations.

THE SEARCH AFTER REALITY.

In that respect he thought that their age would be regarded as an idolatrous one, although their idols were of a different kind from those of uncivilised people. They could see signs of the passing of that idolatrous age, but how long it would take to pass no one could say. He thought, however, that a realisation of the axioms on which biology was based would do a great deal to turn them from idolatry, and do it, perhaps, more effectively because it brought them straight up against physical realism, in so direct a manner that there could be no evasion of the issue involved.

He could only say, in conclusion, that he could see no other ending than Berkeley's to their search after reality, provided they realised that in the search after truth God was just as much present in the active perceiver as in his perceptions. Whether those engaged in scientific work knew it or not, God was present in their pursuit of knowledge, however abstract that knowledge might be. There was no reason why they should not come to realise that, and thus also realise that they were in no way separated from all those to whom religion was a living reality.

Dr. A. Luce, on behalf of those present, thanked Dr. Haldane for his stimulating philosophic and scientific course of lectures.

Dr. Haldane returned thanks for the patience and for the intellectuality with which they had listened to his lectures. It had been to him a very great experience to come to Trinity College, the College of Bishop Berkeley. Trinity College appeared to him a sort of Mecca—a very interesting place—because it was associated not alone with Bishop Berkeley, but with a great deal else that he had not mentioned. It was a very interesting place, and he had enjoyed his visit, thanks to the hospitality of the Provost.

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSE STRONG.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.
NEW YORK, Friday.

Stocks closed strong. The day's sales totalled 3,202,000 shares. Sterling exchange firmer. Silver 1⅛c. down at 40⅞. Government Bonds quiet; Railroad Bonds firm.

Money on call closed steady at 4 per cent. bid and 4½ per cent. asked. All business during the day was done at 4 to 4½ per cent., with the ruling rate at 4½ per cent. The last transaction was made at 4 per cent.

	Fri.	Thur.
Call Money	4b. 4¼a	4b. 4¼a
Exchange on Lon.—60 days sight	4.82⅜	4.82⅜
Do. do. Demand Bills	4.85 21/32	4.85 11/16
Cable Transfers	4.86	4.86 1/32
Do. Montreal	4.88⅝	4.88⅝
Exchange Paris cable	3.91	3.91¼

Eng. Parity.	Stocks.	Closing Bid. Fri.	Thur.
230⅝	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	230	228
165 15/16	Do. Preferred	103	103
118 13/16	Baltimore and Ohio	115½	115½
210⅝	Canadian Pacific	204¾†	207½
23⅛	Chicago Milwaukee, & St. Paul	22½	23⅝
87 15/16	Chicago and North-West	85¼	86
60 11/16	Erie Shares	59	59¾
67⅞	Erie 1st Preferred	66	65½
132 11/16	Illinois Central	129	128½
135 13/16	Louisville and Nashville	132	132
3⅛	Mexican Nat. 1st Preferred	3*	3*
55 5/16	Missouri, Kansas, and Texas	53½	54
92 9/16	Missouri Pacific	90	90
188¼	New York Central & Hudson R.	183	183
263⅞	Norfolk and West Com.	256½†	260
95 11/16	Northern Pacific Com.	93	93½
84⅜	Pennsylvania Shares	82	82¼
133¾	Reading Shares	130	127
48⅜	Do. Preferred	47	47
126 15/16	Southern Pacific	123¼	123½
131 15/16	Southern Railway	128¼	—
231½	Union Pacific	225†	227½
84⅜	Do. Preferred	82†	83⅝
146 5/16	American Can. (New Stock)	142¼	141
74 9/16	American Smelting (New Stock)	72½	71½
77 9/16	Anaconda Copper	75	71½
15 15/16	Anglo-American Oil	15½	15¼
103¼	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	100⅝	100⅝
27⅝	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	26⅞	26⅞
123 1/16	New York Consolidated Gas	119⅝	119¼
78 5/16	General Electric (New Stock)	76⅛	74
44¼	General Motors (New)	43	43
26½	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	25¾	25
19 5/16	International Pet., Canada, New	18¾	18⅝
180 1/16	National Lead	175	172
54	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	52½	52½
43⅝	Shell Transport and Trading	42⅝	42¾
22	Shell Union Oil	21⅝	21½
27⅝	U.S. Rubber	26⅞	26¾
188¼	United States Steel Common	183	182½†
146⅝	Do Pref.	142½	142½
—	Silver Commercial Bars	40⅞	42¼
40⅝	International Nickel	39¼†	39
	BONDS.		
95 7/16	Atch. Top New 4% Gen. Mort.	92¾	92⅝
82 15/16	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	80⅝	80⅝
97⅛	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	94⅞	93⅝
107	U.K. do. 1937	104	104¼
—	U.K. Funding Loan		
110 7/16	7% German Loan	107⅝	107¼

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Eng. Equiv.	Stocks and Shares.	Clos'g Prices Fri.	Thur.
31 5/16	Abitibi Power & Paper Co., Ltd.	30½	30
2 9/16	Asbestos Corporation, Ltd.	2½	2½
9 5/16	Do Pref.	9	9
7 5/16	Brit. Columbia Packers, Ltd.	7	7
38⅜	Brazilian T. L. & P. Co., Ltd.	37¾	36½
37⅞	Brit. Columbia P. Corp., Ltd., A	37	37
17 5/16	Do Do. B	17	16⅞
1 13/16	Brit. Empire Steel Corp., Ltd.	1¾	1½
26⅞	Do. 1st Pref., Series B	26¼	26¼
25 9/16	Brompton Pulp & Paper Co., Ltd.	25	25
158 11/16	Calgary Power Co., Ltd.	155	155
27⅛	Canadian Car Common	26½	27
30 5/16	Do Preferred	29½	29½
18 3/16	Canada Cement Co., Ltd.	17¾	17¾
94 5/16	Do. Preferred	92	92⅝†
86 5/16	Canadian Cottons Co., Ltd.	85	85
9¾	Canadian Indus. Alcohol Co. A	9½	9¾
8 1/16	Do Do. B	7⅞	7⅞
13 5/16	Canada Power & Paper Corp.	13	13½
18 11/16	Canada Steamships Lines, Ltd.	18¼	17
72 11/16	Do. Preferred	71	71
237 7/16	Con. Mining & Smelting Co. of Canada, Ltd.	232	230½
70⅛	Dominion Textile Co., Ltd.	68½	67
14 9/16	Fraser Companies, Ltd., Com.	14	14
5⅝	Hollinger Con. Gold Mines	5¼	5¼
40 1/16	Inter. Nickel of Canada, Ltd.	39½	39¼†
34 13/16	Massey Harris Common	34	33¾
139⅞	Montreal L. H. & P. Consd.	136⅝	133⅞
29 9/16	National Breweries, Ltd.	28⅞	28
71½	National Steel Car Corp., Ltd.	69⅞	70
81⅞	Port Alfred P. & P. Corp. Pfd.	80	80
73 11/16	Power Corp. of Canada, Ltd.	72	72
65	Quebec Power Co.	63½	63
77¼	Shawinigan Water & Power Co.	75¾	75½
49⅛	Steel Co. of Canada, Ltd.	48	46½
	Wayagamack P. & P. Co., Ltd.		
43½	Winnipeg Electric Co.	42½	42⅞
316¼	Bank of Montreal	309	308
266⅜	Canadian Bank Commerce	260	264½
316 13/16	Royal Bank of Canada	309½	307

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; § Ex rights.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT—Spots firm, ⅛c. to 2½c. higher.

	To-day	Prev. day.
No. 2 Northern Manitoba, spot	126¾	126⅜
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	116¼	113½
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	134¼	133½

RYE steady, ¼c. lower. No. 2 spot, 86½.
MAIZE firm at 1¼c. advance.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	97¼	96

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day
Standard White in cases	16.65	16.65
Standard White in barrels	13.25	13.25
Do. Philadelphia	13.25	13.25
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	2.45-2.80	2.45-2.80

COFFEE—
Closing Options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.	Dec.	1931, Jan.
To-day	8.65	8.35	8.03	7.83	7.64	7.65
Prev. day	8.77	8.36	7.99	7.85	7.64	7.65

SUGAR closed firm, with futures 7 to 10 points higher. Spot finished steady and unchanged; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 3.77. Approximate day's sales, 42,000 tons.

Closing Options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	1931 Jan.
To-day	1.62	1.71	1.80	1.88	1.94	1.98	1.99
Prev. day	1.55	1.63	1.73	1.70	1.84	1.88	1.90

TALLOW steady. Spot extra loose, 6⅝; special extra, 6½; in tierces, 6⅞.

COTTON SEED OIL—Futures barely steady, and 5 to 8 points down. Prime summer yellow spot, 8.40. Closing options—March, 8.40; May, 8.81; July, 9.12; August, 9.20.

SHELLAC—T.N., 29½.

TURPENTINE—Spot, 57½; Savannah spot, 51½.

METALS—Straits Tin barely steady. Spot and March both 25 points lower. Spot and nearby New York, 37.75. Future option—March, 37.75. Lead—New York steady and unchanged. East St. Louis easier, 10 down. Spot New York, 6.10; spot East St. Louis, 5.95. Zinc easier, 2½ points lower. Spot East St. Louis, 5.10. Pig Iron easier. Northern No. 2 plain, f.o.b. Furnace, Eastern Pennsylvania, 19.39; No. 2 plain Buffalo (delivery Boston), 21.66. Copper—The U.S. Copper Export Association quotes copper c.i.f. Hamburg 18.30.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT was steady at the opening and ⅝c. to ½c. higher. The close was steady, with futures ⅜c. up to ⅜c. down. Opening options—May, 117½; July, 119½; October, 120½. Closing options—May, 117¼; July, 119⅛; October, 119⅜. Rye easier at ⅜c. to 1⅛c. reduction. Closing options—May, 72¼; July, 74¾. Oats steady and unchanged to ⅛c. higher. Closing options—May, 56⅞; July, 56¼; October, 52½. Barley firmer at ⅝c. to ⅛c. rise. Closing options—May, 54⅜; July, 56¾. Flaxseed easier at ¾c. to ¼c. decline. Closing options—May, 255¾; July, 254¼.

Wheat receipts (carlots).	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern	32	34
No. 2 Northern	74	92
No. 3 Northern	55	64
No. 4 Northern	22	18
Other grades	28	17
Total	211	225

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON opened steady and 2 points to 8 points lower, and continued to recede owing to less favourable Liverpool cables, unfavourable Manchester advices, and local and Liverpool selling. The market rallied at times on commission house and New Orleans buying and some covering on firmness of the wheat and Stock markets. The closing was barely steady, with November 4 points up and other positions 2 points to a point down. New contract deliveries finished with November 4 points higher and others 7 to 1 point lower. Spot quiet at 5 points loss. At New Orleans futures opened 1 to 4 points down, and closed at 5 to 9 points loss. Spot showed 5 points depreciation.

Spot, middling upland at New York, 15.30.

Receipts—Atlantic ports, 1,000 bales; Gulf, 8,000; Pacific, 4,000; interior towns, 6,000.

Exports—Great Britain, 1,000 bales; Continent, 20,000; Japan and China, 3,000.

RUBBER quiet, but steady. First latex crepe, spot, 16¼ buyers; smoked ribbed sheets, spot, 15⅜ buyers, 15⅞ sellers.

NATIONAL METAL EXCHANGE.

TIN steady. Closing options—April, 37.40 to 37.45; May, 37.50 to 37.60; July, 37.80 to 37.90.

COPPER dull. Closing options—April, 16.85; May, 16.75; July, 16.75.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Friday.

WHEAT opened steady and ⅛c. to ⅛c. up. The market continued to strengthen on it being reported that the Farm Board was a good buyer of May delivery, together with advices from St. Louis of a substantial increase in export flour sales and a Department of Agriculture report indicating the wheat acreage of nine countries to be 2.5 per cent. below that of last year. A partial reaction took place on very favourable winter wheat reports, the market closing firm and 2¾c. to ⅜c. higher.

	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	118	118
No. 3 Hard Winter, spot	—	—

Futures—Opening options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	109⅜	114¼	114¾	117½
Prev. day	106⅝	111¼	112⅝	114

Futures—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	111⅞	116¼	115½	117⅝
Prev. day	109¼	113½	114	117⅝

MAIZE opened steady and ⅛c. to ⅛c. higher. The market closed firm and 1½c. to ⅛c. higher.

Spot, No. 2 mixed Western, unquoted.

Futures—Opening options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	83½	87½	90¼	90¼
Prev. day	81¾	86⅛	88⅝	88¾

Futures—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	84	88¼	90½	90⅜
Prev. day	82¾	87	89⅝	89½

OATS steady, ⅛c. to ½c. higher.

Futures—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July
To-day	42⅛	44	44
Prev. day	41¾	43¾	43½

RYE irregular, with futures 1⅛c. to ⅛c. up. No. 2, spot, unquoted.

Futures—Closing options—

	Mar.	May.	July	Sept.
To-day	75⅝	76⅜	78¼	79¼
Prev. day	77¼	77	76⅜	79

PROVISIONS—Lard opened steady, and early improved on the firmness in corn and also on larger export clearances from New York. Recessions followed owing to the weak close of hogs, and the market finished dull, with spot and futures showing an all-round decline of 2½ points. Prime Western steam, spot, 10.55.

LARD—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	10.60	10.80	11.05	11.25
Prev. day	10.62½	10.82½	11.07½	11.27½

BACON steady and quotably unaltered. Short ribs, spot (60lb. average), 13.25.

HOGS easier, with light 40 to 10 and heavy sorts 35 to 30 points lower. Light weight, 10.50 to 11.40; heavy weight, 10.00 to 10.75.

	To-day.	Same day last year
Receipts—Chicago	21,000	22,000
Western	113,000	95,000

The receipts of hogs at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since November 1, total 11,513,000, against 95,000 (new season) last year.

PORTUMNA BULL SALE.

A GREAT HERD.

FROM OUR AGRICULTURAL CORRESPONDENT.
PORTUMNA, Friday.

An average of £40 was realised to-day for sixteen bull calves from the Portumna Aberdeen-Angus herd of the Earl of Harewood at a draft sale held at Portumna Castle, Co. Galway. The bulls offered were late for inclusion in the Royal Dublin's Society's March show and sale.

Since its establishment twelve years ago this herd has made remarkable progress. All the best heifers have been retained for breeding purposes, and at the moment the herd numbers 100 head all told. Last year young bulls from Portumna at Ballsbridge averaged 50 guineas, while in 1928 they made an average of 52 guineas.

The crop of salves submitted yesterday was sired by Buric of Coolcower, a stock bull that has proved very successful. This is a Miss Burgess bull, bred by Mr. R. C. Williams, and sired by Eclipse of Ballindalloch.

Mr. A. E. Moeran, estate agent, had charge of the arrangements. Messrs. Gavin Low, Ltd., Dublin, were the auctioneers.

SALES.

A list of sales is appended:—

	Gns.
Quarter Day of Portumna, c. December, 1928, by Buric of Coolcower—Erita of Portumna (Thomas Ryan, Loughrea)	50
Quartermaster of Portumna, c. December, 1928, by Buric—Ena of Portumna 3rd (The Earl of Rosse, Birr)	50
Quarter Staff of Portumna, c. January, 1929, by Buric—Ena of Portumna 4th (Wm. Fagan, Kinnitty)	46
Quadruman of Portumna, c. January, 1929, by Buric—Gemima of Portumna (Frederick Chadwick, Cloughjordan)	42
Quester of Portumna, c. January, 1929, by Buric—Alice of Portumna (J. A. Lewis, Ballinasloe)	40
Quad of Portumna, c. February, 1929, by Buric—Eritane of Portumna (Earl of Rosse)	40
Quadruped of Portumna, c. February, 1929, by Buric—Gem of Portumna (Major Waller, Portland, Birr)	32
Quarry of Portumna, c. March, 1929, by Buric—Gemfinder of Portumna (H. P. Bridge, Rocket Hall, Roscrea)	39
Quarter Deck of Portumna, c. March, 1929, by Buric—Extravagance of Portumna 2nd (D. L'Estrange, Shannon Bridge)	39
Quantum of Portumna, c. March, 1929, by Buric—Estherine of Portumna (J. Willington, Birr)	40
Quick March of Portumna, c. April, 1929, by Buric—Gem of Portumna 3rd (W. J. Waller, Nenagh)	35
Quaker of Portumna, c. April, 1929, by Buric—Enamel of Portumna 2nd (J. Willington)	30
Quarter Guard of Portumna, c. April, 1929, by Buric—Esther of Portumna (James A. Haslan, Rockview, Birr)	34
Quality of Portumna, c. May, 1929, by Buric—Pearl of Portumna (Marquis of Sligo)	37
Quiver of Portumna, c. June, 1929, by Buric—Pearlette of Portumna (D. Foley, Leixlip)	26
Quadruple of Portumna, c. June, 1929, by Buric—Gem of Portumna 4th (Thomas Ryan, Loughrea)	30

PURE-BRED BULLS.

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY'S SHOW AND SALE.

The railway companies have intimated that the bulls entered for the Royal Dublin Society's show and sale will be transported from various parts of Ireland to Ballsbridge in twelve special trains, apart from the numerous vehicles which will be attached to the ordinary trains and worked to Ballsbridge without delay. One half of the specials will arrive to-day, and the remainder on Monday, when the 900 bulls (the largest number yet exhibited at Ballsbridge) will be stalled in readiness for the show and sale, which opens on the following morning.

The remarkable growth of this fixture can best be demonstrated by the fact that only six years ago three special trains were sufficient for the entry at that period.

CHURCH OF IRELAND.

A meeting of the Dublin Clerical Association will be held next Monday at 2.30 in the Boardroom, 37 Dawson street. The Greek Testament portion to be studied is Hebrews, iii., 7 ff. The Rev. T. A. Harvey, Professor of Pastoral Theology, will read a paper on "The Church in the Gospels," the appointed speakers being Canon Lewis-Crosby and the Rev. E. L. Ledwich.

THE PRICE OF COCOA.

We are asked to state that the price of Fry's cocoa is 7½d. per quarter pound tin, and not 6½d., as stated in the advertisement published yesterday.

The Committee of the St. Vincent de Paul Free Night Shelter for Catholic Men, Back lane, Dublin, report that the admissions to the institution during February numbered 2,525, and that 5,373 meals were given free.

SHORTHAND-TYPISTS AND TYPISTS.

Pupils of SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green, gained the majority of the appointments offered at each of the last 2 Exams.—(Advt.)

Don't wait till your ship comes home — Begin to save now.

Buy Savings Certificates
Post Offices and Banks sell them

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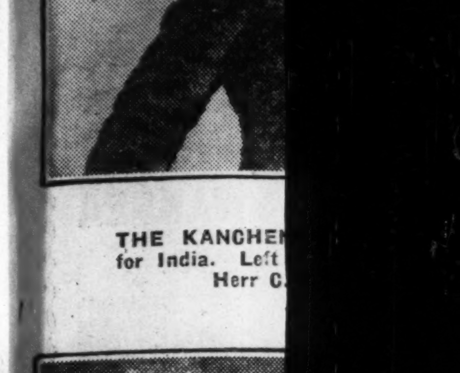

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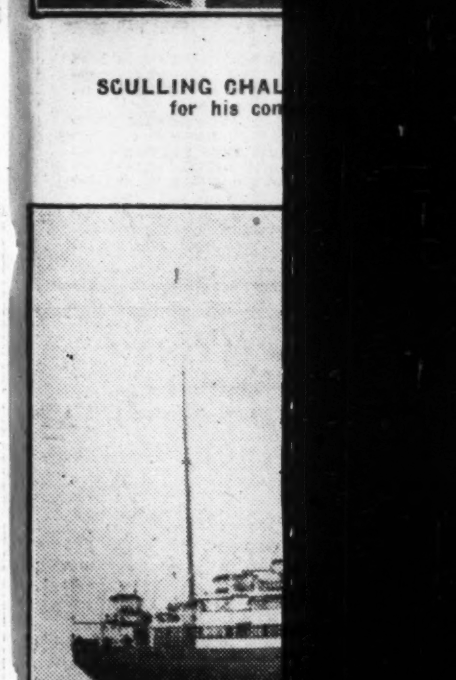

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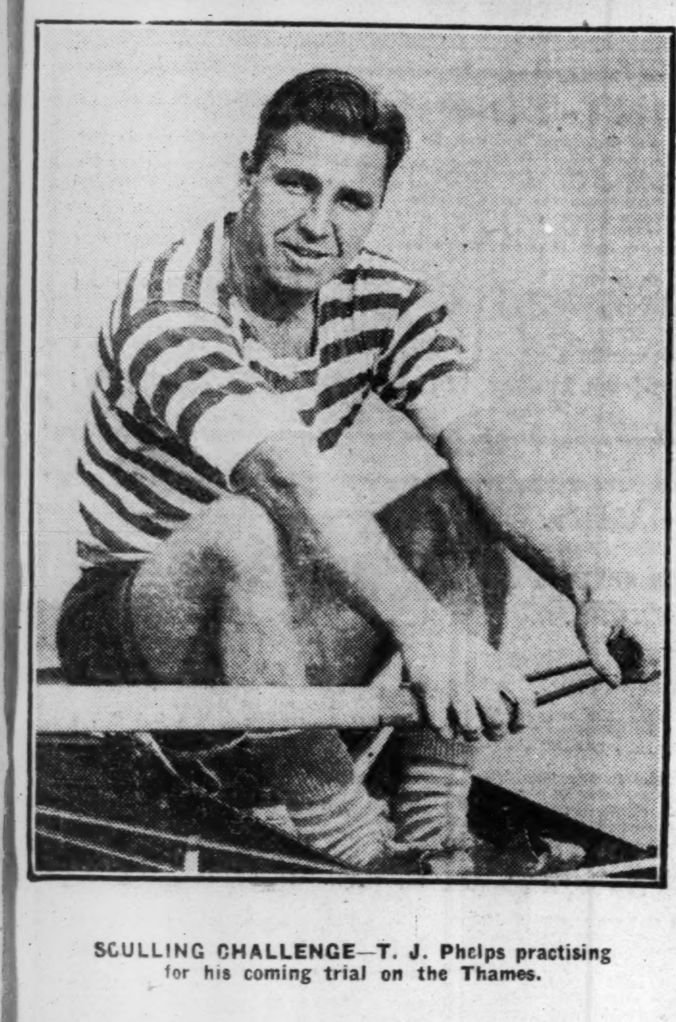
THE KANCHENJUNGA EXPEDITION LEAVES FOR INDIA.

THE KANCHENJUNGA EXPEDITION—Members of the advance party photographed on board the ss. Venice, bound for India. Left to right: Dr. H. Richter, Mr. F. S. Smythe, Frau Dyhrenfurth, Professor G. O. Dyhrenfurth. Back: Herr C. Duvanel and Mr. E. Gaspari. Other photographs and particulars appear on pages 6 and 9.

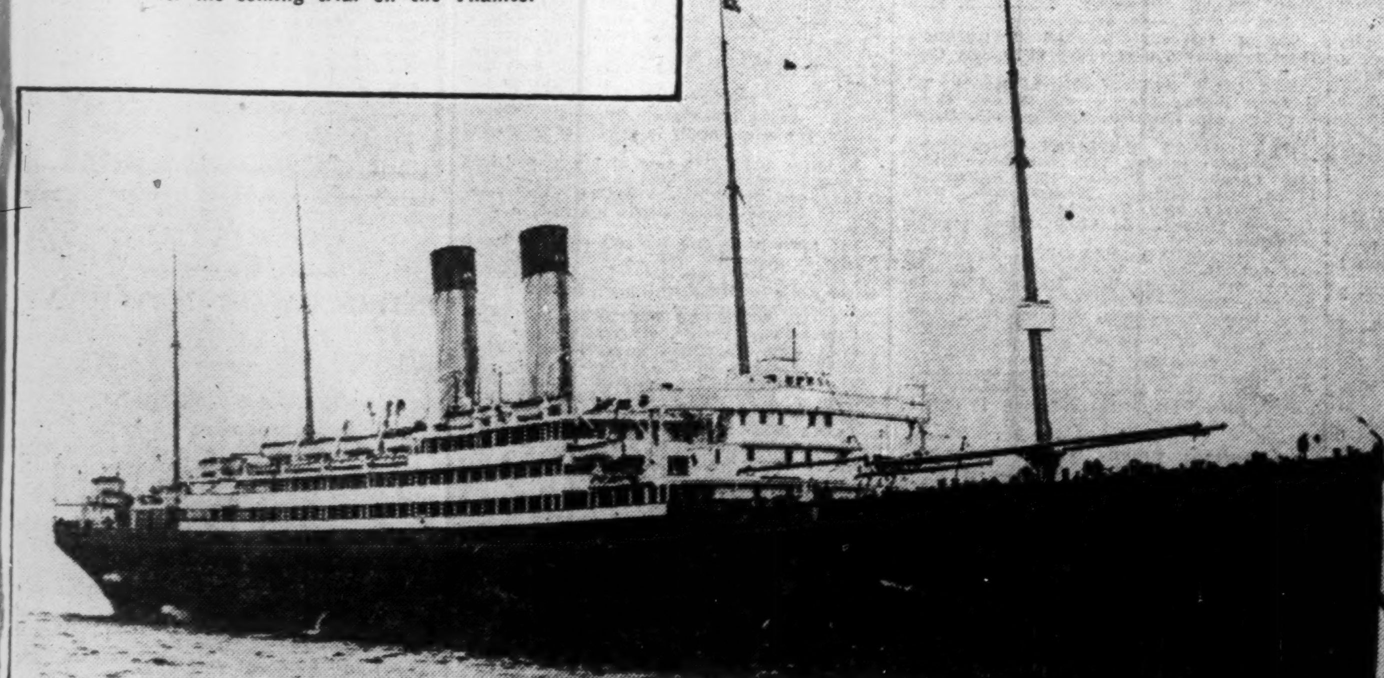
ST. PATRICK'S NURSES' HOME—A photograph taken at the annual meeting yesterday. Included are Canon Crozier, the Rev. J. J. Macaulay, the Archdeacon of Dublin, Sir John Moore, Mr. Andrews, the Matron, the Archbishop of Dublin, Canon Hughes and Miss Colburn.

THE BIG FIGHT—While opinion in boxing circles is divided on the verdict of the Scott-Sharkey fight, the American Board of Control has upheld the referee's decision. Phil Scott being examined by Dr. Milton Davis, in Miami, before his fight against Jack Sharkey.



SCULLING CHALLENGE—T. J. Phelps practising for his coming trial on the Thames.

OPENING OF SKERRIES AND BALBRIGGAN WATERWORKS—Left: The Rev. L. A. Hunter, M.A., and the Rev. J. Hickey, P.P., holding the hose as the first flow of water comes through. Right: Mr. C. Lawless, Chairman of the Balrothery R.D.C., turns on the water at Balbriggan.



GALWAY AS A PORT OF CALL—The 21,227-ton White Star liner Cedric, which on Monday next will inaugurate the White Star Line's direct service from the West of Ireland to the United States. The Cedric is the largest steamer to call at Galway.

THE ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE—Civilian aircraftsmen receiving instruction at a training dépôt in Northern Ireland.

SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

QUINQUAGESIMA.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—To-day (Saturday): 10 a.m. Psalms 1 and 2. Te Deum (VIII.), Jubilate (5). Hymn, 650. 4 p.m. Magn. N. Dim. (Purcell in E minor. Anthem, "Remember not, Lord" (Purcell). To-morrow: 8, Holy Communion, and 9, in Irish. 11.15, Matins. Psalms 15, 20 and 23. Te Deum, Jubilate (Whitfeld in E). Anthem, "Sing praises to the Lord" (Croft). Hymn 422 "Gracious Spirit." Preacher, the Rev. A. Lockett Ford, M.A., Prebendary of Yagoe. 12.15, Holy Communion (Choral): Kyrie, Credo, Sanctus, Gloria (Wesley in E). Offertory (2), Stainer. 3.15 p.m. Cantoris Week. Psalm, 31. Chant 23. Cant. Dom., Deus Mis. (Stewart in F flat). First Anthem, "The Lord is my Shepherd" (Schubert). Hymn 13, "Abide with me." Second Anthem, "Blessed be the God and Father" (Wesley). Preacher, the Rev. A. Lockett Ford, M.A., Prebendary of Yagoe. Concluding Voluntary—Fantasia and Fugue in C minor (Bach).

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—To-day (Saturday): 10.45 a.m. Te Deum (III.). Hymn, 522. 3 p.m. Iliffe in D. Anthem, "The glorious majesty of the Lord" (Croft). To-morrow: 11, Matins. Processional Hymn, 9. Psalm, 11. Te Deum, Benedictus, Lloyd in E flat. Introit, "Beloved, let us" (Cobb). 11.40, Holy Communion (Lloyd in E flat). Preacher, the Dean. Hymns 492 and 206. 7, Evensong. Processional Hymn, 421. Psalms, 12 and 13. Magn. and Nunc Dim., Lloyd in E flat. Anthem, "How lovely is Thy dwelling place" (Brahms). Hymn, 674. Recessional Hymn, 35.

MAGDALEN CHURCH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. W. J. Mayne. 7, Rev. J. Mayne.

CHAPEL OF TRINITY COLLEGE.—Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Psalms—15, 20, 23. Lessons—...is xiii.; Matthew v. to v. 16, incl. Service—...e in A. Anthem—"Blessed be the God and Father" (Wesley). 62. Hymn—422. Preacher—The Bishop of Down. Marker—A. R. Ennis.

COLLEGE OF S. COLUMBA.—8, Holy Communion. 10. Te Deum (Hopkins in G). Benedictus (Read in D). Anthem, "Grieve not the Holy Spirit" (...ner). Hymn, "Pleasant are Thy courts above." Preacher, Rev. the Warden. 7.30. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis (Wood in C). Anthem, "Turn Thee again O Lord" (Attwood). Hymn, "The day is past and over."

ST. MATTHIAS'S PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7. Preacher at both Services, ... Strong.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH.—8, 10, 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon Crozier. 3.30, Young People's ... 7, Rev. R. H. Dowse.

HOLY TRINITY, Rathmines.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 10, Rev. F. A. Lamb. 11.30, Canon R. Wilson. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. ...es.

CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon Hughes. 3.30, Rev. C. J. ... 7, Rev. C. J. Tyndall.

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH, Ranelagh.—8 and Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. C. J. Tyndall. ...n Hughes.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11, Matins. Te Deum (Best in G). Benedicite (Stainer, 3rd Tone); Rev. W. C. Simpson. 12, Sung Eucharist (Williams and Monk Gould). At the Offertory, "Jesu, Thou joy of loving hearts." 3.30, Young People; Rev. W. L. McCormick. 6.30, Litany. 7, Evensong (Parry in D); Rev. Maurice Handy. Address to Youth.

ST. STEPHEN'S.—7.15 and 8, Holy Communion. (Corporate Communion of Youth Service Guild at 8 o'clock). 10, Matins and Sermon. 11.30, Matins, Sermon, and Holy Communion. Te Deum (Chants). Jubilate (Stanford in B flat). Hymns, 9, 422, 222. 4, Children's Service. 6.40, Congregational Singing. 7, Evensong and Sermon. Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis (Field in D). Hymns, 520, 438, 427.

MOLYNEUX CHURCH, Bride street.—11.30, Morning Service and Holy Communion. 7, Rev. A. Morrow.

ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH.—10.15, Rev. Gage Dougherty. 7, Rev. W. W. Dungan.

ST. MARY'S CHAPEL OF EASE.—11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. Gage Dougherty. 3.30, Children and Young People.

DEAF AND DUMB SERVICE in Gregg Hall, Dawson street, at 3.30.

ST. CATHERINE'S.—11.30, Canon Thompson. 7, Mr. E. H. Flint.

ST. VICTOR'S.—8, 11.30, Mr. E. H. Flint. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. W. R. A. Bond.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. H. W. Donald. 7, Rev. E. C. Hodges.

IRISH CHURCH MISSIONS, Townsend street.—11.30 and 7, Rev. T. C. Hammond.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. R. Northridge.

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH CHURCH.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. H. G. Forde. 7, Rev. H. S. Higginbotham.

ST. AIDAN'S CHURCH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. H. A. V. Kennedy. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. H. G. Forde.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. H. S. Higginbotham. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs.

THE FREE CHURCH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs. 7, Rev. H. A. V. Kennedy.

ST. WERBURGH'S.—11.15, Rev. C. R. Milligan. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. G. J. Burrows.

ST. JUDE'S CHURCH, Kilmainham.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. N. H. Hamilton. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. N. H. Hamilton.

ST. KEVIN'S, South Circular road.—11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. R. Bird. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. G. A. Lowe.

ST. THOMAS'.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. J. Forde Leathley. 4, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. J. Purser Shortt.

ST. BARNABAS'S.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. J. Purser Shortt. 4, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. J. Forde Leathley.

ALL SAINTS', Grangegorman.—8, Holy Communion. 11, Matins. 11.30, Holy Communion (Choral). Rev. E. H. F. Campbell. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. Lowell Gatphob.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, Aungier street.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. W. P. Webb. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Canon Somerville.

ST. AUDOEN'S CHURCH, Cornmarket.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Litany, Canon Somerville. 7, Rev. W. P. Webb.

ST. MICHAN'S.—11.30, Rev. E. J. Young.

ST. PAUL'S.—11.30, Holy Communion. Rev. A. D. Buchanan. 7, Rev. E. J. Young (Girl Guides' Parade).

DRUMCONDRA PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 12, Morning Prayer and Litany, Rev. J. R. R. McGinley. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. J. T. Cummins.

NORTH STRAND PARISH CHURCH.—11.30, Holy Communion, Rev. J. T. Cummins. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. G. S. Nowlan.

ST. MATTHEW'S, Irishtown.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. S. Carolin. 7, Rev. J. Blackwell.

ST. LAURENCE'S, Chapelizod.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Rev. W. T. Grey.

ALL SAINTS', Raheny.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. L. Gatphob. 6.30, Rev. H. C. Cave.

CHRIST CHURCH, Kingstown.—8.30 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 7, Choral Evensong.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, Lucan.—8.30, Holy Communion. 11 and 7, Rev. D. H. Gillman.

ST. ANDREW'S, Malahide.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 6.30, Evening Prayer.

ST. DOULAGH'S, Malahide.—10, Morning Prayer.

ST. MARNOCK'S, Portmarnock.—3.30, Evening Prayer.

SS. PHILIP AND JAMES, Booterstown.—8.15, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins, Holy Communion and sermon, Rev. R. R. Hartford. 3.30, Children's Hymn Service. 7, Rev. T. A. Harvey.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 3.30, Young People's Service. 6.40, community singing. 7, Evening Prayer.

TULLOW PARISH CHURCH, Carrickmines.—11.30, Holy Communion; the Archbishop of Dublin. 6, Evening Prayer.

MONKSTOWN PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. T. Arnold Harvey. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. J. E. L. Oulton.

ST. BRIGID'S, Stillorgan.—8.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 6.30, Canon Lewis-Crosby.

MARINERS' CHURCH, Kingstown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. T. J. Johnston. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Canon Chamberlain.

ST. PHILIP'S, Milltown.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, Evening Prayer.

CHRIST CHURCH, Blackrock.—11.30 (Morning Prayer and Holy Communion) and 7 Rev. George R. Elliott.

ST. PAUL'S, Glenageary.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. D. H. Hall. 3.30, Sterling Berry. 6.30, Rev. J. Jordan Julian.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES.

ABBEY CHURCH, Rutland Square.—11.45 and 7 Rev. W. Moore (Banbridge).

ADELAIDE ROAD.—11.30 (Communion), Dr. Hanna. 7, Rev. T. A. B. Smyth.

ST. ANDREW'S, Blackrock.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. Snowdon.

ST. ANDREW'S, Bray.—11.30, Rev. R. K. Lyle. 7, Dr. E. J. M'Kee.

CHAPELIZOD.—4.30, Rev. A. Gailey.

CLONTARF.—11.30, Rev. T. A. B. Smyth. 7, Dr. Hanna.

DONORE.—11.30 and 7, Rev. G. T. C. Clements.

GREYSTONES.—11.30, Dr. E. J. M'Kee. 7, Rev. R. K. Lyle.

HOWTH.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. M'Caughey.

KINGSTOWN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Rutherford.

LUCAN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. Gailey.

MALAHIDE.—4, Rev. J. M'Caughey.

ORMOND QUAY.—11.45 and 7, Rev. T. Byers.

RATHGAR (Christ Church).—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. J. Macaulay.

SANDYMOUNT.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Crockett.

SCOTS CHURCH.—12 and 7, Rev. A. K. Macpherson.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSOCIATION, 16 St. Stephen's Green.—4.30, Young Men's Bible Study Circle.

DUBLIN PRESBYTERY'S CITY MISSION.—Whitefriar Street Hall, 6½ Whitefriar street—3, Sabbath School. 4.30, Evangelistic Service; speaker, Mr. E. Logan.

NORTH STRAND HALL.—8.15 p.m., Evangelistic Service; speaker, Mr. E. Logan.

WELSH CHURCH, Talbot street.—11.30 and 6.30, Rev. John Lewis.

REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN MISSION, 9 Anglesea street.—4, Men's Bible Class. Gospel Meeting, Monday, at 8 p.m.; T. Beck.

METHODIST CHURCHES.

CENTENARY CHURCH, St. Stephen's Green, 8.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. Lee Cole.

KINGSLAND PARK.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. S Morris.

DOLPHIN'S BARN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Frank Bennett.

ABBEY STREET.—11.30, Captain Smith. 7, Rev. A. Harbinson.

CLONLIFFE.—11.30, Rev. H. B. Mills. 7, Rev. W. E. Cullen.

CHARLESTON ROAD.—11.30 (Communion) and 7, Rev. H. M. Watson.

BLACKHALL PLACE.—11.30, Rev. A. Harbinson. 7, Rev. P. E. Donovan.

INCHICORE.—11.30, Rev. W. E. Cullen. 7, Rev. H. B. Mills.

LUCAN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. D. Foster.

BRIGHTON ROAD, Rathgar.—11.30 (Communion Service) and 7, Rev. James M. Alley.

SANDYMOUNT.—11.30, Rev. R. C. Phillips (Communion). 7, Rev. J. A. Duke.

RINGSEND.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. L. Coade.

KINGSTOWN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. England.

BLACKROCK.—11.30, Rev. George Watson. 7, Rev. J. A. L. Irvine.

DALKEY.—11.30, Rev. J. A. L. Irvine. 7, Rev. George Watson.

BRAY.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Percy S. Shipway.

SUTTON.—11.30 (Communion) and 7, Dr. Carrothers.

OTHER CHURCHES AND HALLS.

MORAVIAN CHURCH, Lower Kevin street.—11.30, Rev. J. H. Blandford.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, York street.—11.30, Rev. J. Bruce Wallace.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Kingstown.—11.30 and 7, Rev. S. Henderson.

KILMAINHAM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—11.30, Mr. A. G. Rippingale. 7, Mr. Robert Nolan.

BAPTIST TABERNACLE, Kingstown.—11.30 and 7, Mr. A. W. Tweedall.

PHIBSBOROUGH BAPTIST CHURCH.—11.30, Mr. Harold Graham. 7, Mr. Boggs.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, St. Stephen's Green.—12 and 7, Rev. E. Savell Hicks.

MERRION HALL.—12 and 7, Mr. J. Charlton Steen.

RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.—11, 6 Eustace street, Dublin; 11, Monkstown; 11, Churchtown; 11.30, Bray; 11 and 7, 62 Grosvenor road Rathmines.

GROSVENOR HALL, Rathgar.—10.15, Sunday School. 7, Mr. F. W. Jeffers.

FAIRVIEW HALL.—12, Mr. J. Stone. 7, Mr. E. Towson.

NORTHUMBERLAND HALL, Kingstown.—3.30, Children's Service. 7, Captain Reginald Wallis.

WHARTON HALL, Harold's Cross Bridge.—7, Mr. V. Jackson.

FRIENDS' MISSION, 27 Meath place, off Meath street.—8 p.m., Mr. Finn Ruddock.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin (a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), Lower Baggot street.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Meeting with Testimonies of Christian Science Healing, 8 p.m., Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open to the public daily from 11 a.m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Rathmines (Branch Church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.).—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, Rathmines Park, open daily free to the public.

THE ROYAL CITY OF DUBLIN HOSPITAL.

The Board of Directors of the Royal City of Dublin Hospital met on Friday, 14th February, Mr. T. R. McCullagh in the chair. Also present:—Mr. W. R. Burgess, Mr. Seton Pringle, F.R.C.S.; Mr. G. A. Overend, Mr. R. Atkinson Stoney, F.R.C.S.I.; Mr. R. W. Booth, Mr. Mills Forsyth, Mr. R. F. J. Henry, F.R.C.S.I.; Mr. Edward O'Sullivan.

The minutes of the last Board meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

The minutes of the Weekly, Finance, Contracts and Ladies' Committee were also read, approved and signed.

The Finance Committee reported that the bank overdraft on No. 1 account, as per Cash Book, at 31st January stood at £16,654 11/0.

The lamented death of Mr. William Beckett was referred to from the chair. The following resolution expresses the sympathy of the directors with the family of the late Mr. Beckett:—

"That the Board of Directors of the Royal City of Dublin Hospital have heard with deep regret of the death of their colleague, Mr. William Beckett.

"For many years Mr. Beckett was a director of the Royal City of Dublin Hospital and was always willing to place his long experience and special knowledge at the service of the Board when enlargements or structural alterations were being made in the hospital.

"As a regular attendant at the Board and various Committee meetings, Mr. Beckett afforded much help, and his advice will be greatly missed.

"The directors wish to convey their very deep sympathy to the family of the late Mr. Beckett."

The Resident Medical Officer reported that during the month of January 176 patients were admitted, the number remaining in the hospital at the end of the month being 127. There were 1,632 attendances at the general and special dispensaries, and 1,045 accident and emergency cases were dealt with during the month.

The new private wards are now fully open, and are available for the patients of the medical staff. Terms £4 4/- per week.

The new department for the Erlangen treatment by deep therapy is also open. Private and general ward accommodation is available. Further information can be had by application to the Secretary.

The Matron begs to offer her sincere thanks for the following gifts received during the month:—

Toys and Games—Mrs. Hume Dudgeon. Medicine Bottles—Mrs. Lloyd. Silver Paper—Miss G. Crawley, the Misses Ryder. Christmas Card, Ministering Children's League, per Miss Kinahan. Periodicals—Messrs. Eason. Vest for Children and Periodicals—Mrs. Flood.

Fully trained hospital nurses for private cases (medical, surgical, fever and children's) who have had at least three years' training in the hospital wards, are supplied at any time during the day or night. Application to be made to the Matron. Telephones—Nos. 52 and 856 Ballsbridge. Registered telegraphic address—"Gigas," Dublin.

Visitors will be shown over the hospital any afternoon.

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MINE-OWNERS AND THE COAL BILL.

PROTEST AGAINST NEW PROPOSALS.

It is announced officially that separate general meetings of the Durham Coal-owners' Association and of the Northumberland Coal-owners' Association have been held to consider the position in regard to the Coal Mines Bill.

A memorandum, unanimously adopted at each meeting, stated:—

"Serious alterations and additions to the original proposals have already been made, and others are proposed which, if adopted, will not only take from the owners the limited amount of protection originally intended, but will place the industry in such a position that it cannot be worked to the profit of owners or miners or with benefit to the country generally.

"The position has been so materially altered since the owners discussed the marketing schemes with the Government that no part of the bill can now be looked upon as enabling the owners to meet the deficiency to be caused by the reduction of hours, while the new conditions are so intolerable that the owners can only utter the strongest protest against the bill as a whole."

The meetings recorded their unanimous opposition to the Coal Mines Bill, and strongly urged that all the districts should combine to present a united protest to the Government against the bill.

FACTORY FIRE IN DUBLIN

£2,000 DAMAGE.

An outbreak of fire occurred during the early hours of yesterday morning in the premises of the Greenmount and Bryne Linen Company, Harold's Cross, Dublin, causing damage to the extent of about £2,000.

The outbreak is believed to have been due to spontaneous combustion, and as a result about 35 of the employés have been temporarily thrown idle.

It is expected that work will be resumed in the course of a few days, as none of the machinery in the factory suffered damage.

Insurances at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—R. H. Bolton, Manager. Agents everywhere. —(Advt.)

AUCTION SALES.

MESSRS. BATTERSBY AND CO.

On the 13th March Messrs. Battersby and Co. will hold their next property sale, when some very attractive lots will be submitted, including 11 Hatch street, "St. Rita's," Sorrento road, Dalkey; two new houses at Jamestown road, Inchicore, all with possession; 9b Lower Abbey street, business premises; 1, 2, 3, and 4 Kensington Villas, Rathmines, and "Sydenham," Howth road, Clontarf. At 11 Hatch street on Wednesday, 19th March, they will sell the antique and modern furniture. For their property sale on the 27th March Messrs. Battersby will offer 13 and 14 Earlsfort terrace, "Glemore," County Donegal, a fee-simple property, with 161 acres, and "Elmville," Serpentine avenue, Ballsbridge. Full particulars will be found on turning to our advertising columns.

MESSRS. DOCKRELL LTD.

This firm will, on 10th March, sell the seats and other equipment of the Corinthian Picture House. On the 18th they will sell the equipment and effects of the garage at 10 Thomas lane. Their property auction on the 20th prox. will include the Inchicore Cinema, to be sold as a going concern. This picture house seats 600 people, and is equipped with talkie apparatus. 51 Pearse street will also be sold as a going concern.

MESSRS. PROBERT AND McMAHON.

Messrs. Probert and McMahon, M.I.A.A., of 132 Stephen's Green, announce in our auction columns to-day particulars of property in North Brunswick street for sale. This property was occupied until lately by Messrs. Cullen, Allen and Company, carriers, and comprises offices, stores, stabling and yard; 18, 19, 20 and 21 North Brunswick street, and 6, 9, 10 and 11 Grangegorman. On the 7th March they will offer in the Barrow street stores of the Lawes Chemical Manure Company a quantity of timber and machinery. On Wednesday, the 12th March, they will offer the contents of "Wakefield," Ulster terrace, Stillorgan Park, comprising antique furniture and a Doulton ware dinner service.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM LLOYD'S.)

HOME ARRIVALS AND SAILINGS.

Kathleen, of Belfast, passed Lizard February 27th.
Citrine, from Londonderry, arrived Newcastle February 27th.
Highland Princess, Belfast, for Royal Albert Dock, passed Gravesend February 27th.
Foynes, Limerick, for Antwerp, arrived and sailed Dartmouth February 27th.
Wheatplain, from Queenstown, arrived Liverpool February 27th.
Blackwater, from Cork, arrived Liverpool February 27th.
Walnut, from Waterford, arrived Newport February 27th.
Alhama, from Belfast, arrived Glasgow February 27th.
Tamnamore, for Treport, left Gravesend February 27th.
Lady Emerald, of Dublin, passed Beachy Head February 27th.
Lady Patricia, of Dublin, passed Dover February 28th.
M. J. Craig, from Belfast, arrived Liverpool February 27th.
Stockforce, from Waterford, arrived Liverpool February 27th.
Ardgantock, from Belfast, arrived Port Talbot February 28th.
Mungret, of Limerick, passed Prawle Point February 28th.

FOREIGN ARRIVALS AND SAILINGS.

Melmore Head, for Belfast and Dublin, left St. John, N.B., February 26th.
Bengore Head, for Belfast, left Riga February 26th.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Barometer at 5 p.m.—30.30.

Wind and Weather—Light easterly winds; fine and clear.

Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Munster, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; Slieve Bawn, Slievemore, from Holyhead, with goods; Lady Carlow, from Liverpool, with goods; Amy Summerfield, from Garston, with coals; Elmfield, Ita, from Garston, with coals; Kyle Rona, Morion, from Ayr, with coals; Ringwall, from Ayr, with coals; Beechfield, from Partington, with coals; Broswall, from Preston, with coals; Moygannon, from Barryport, with coals; Walnut, from Newport, with coals.

The photograph of Mr. R. F. Browne, the new Chairman of the Electricity Supply Board, which was published in our columns, was by Davis, Dublin.

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FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

GATWICK, Friday.

Peertoi was not saddled for the International Handicap Hurdle, and the four-year-old, Go Easy, and Rubicon II. were the two best-backed horses. Go Easy was favourite, but the race proved him to be not as good as I had anticipated. Mrs. Hollins's gelding ran well up to a point, but his chance was hopeless a quarter of a mile from home. Skywriter took up the early running, and maintained his position until West Indies, who was lying in a handy position, took the lead over the final flight of hurdles, and won comfortably with six lengths to spare. Skywriter was second, while Rubicon II. deprived Go Easy of third place.

Ivor Anthony saddled both Gladsmuir and Vinicole in the Tantivy Steeplechase, and the last-named was the more fancied, but Mr. B. Davis's Phaeton started in chief demand. The finish was an exciting one between Gladsmuir and Phaeton, Gladsmuir getting the better of it by a neck. Mountoi ran into third place, but Observatory, who had been conspicuous, faded away before approaching the final jump.

Vinicole gave a good display, and must be noted on future occasions over an easier track. Gainsharp held a winning chance until he toppled over at the last fence, where Royal Tango also came down. Gainsharp's fencing had in the past been faulty, and his fall may shake his confidence, which, I am afraid, has not been too good on previous occasions.

Sir Mathew Wilson's Golden Rain carried a penalty successfully in the Four Years Old Handicap Hurdle, and was again ridden by George Pellerin. Lord Glenely's Western Flier was preferred in the betting and looked like justifying his position until he was challenged by Golden Rain on one side and Orbril on the other. Golden Rain had obtained first run and was able to resist Orbril. The Torch was prominent, but the remainder need no comment.

SELECTIONS.

Gregalach has arrived, but it will not be decided until the morning whether he takes part in the National Trial Steeplechase. His usual jockey, Everett, has been injured, but T. Leader, who may take the mount, knows the horse well. Lordi's running will be interesting, and Glangesia has given indications of improvement. SHAUN GOILIN, who has an excellent record, is well handicapped, and in the absence of GREGALACH, I expect him to win.

SLATER may take the Horne Steeplechase, and DANDY DENNIS the Stayers' Handicap Hurdle.

GALTEE MORE.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

Recent Scratchings.

Sirreus (dead) and Denis Orb have been struck out of all engagements.

Declaration of Runners.

The Irish National Hunt Steeplechase Committee have adopted the same rule as the Turf Club, making it compulsory to declare runners by 12 o'clock noon on the day previous to that on which the race takes place, unless that day be a Sunday or Bank holiday, in which case the declaration must be made by 12 o'clock noon on the day previous to such Sunday or Bank holiday.

Amateur Riders' Permits.

Captain J. F. O'Grady, Messrs. Ian R. Alder, C. Brabazon, J. F. Hogan (jun.), T. O'Rearke, J. B. Rogers, O. T. V. Slocock and J. B. Turner have received permission to ride under Rule 96 (i.), Rules of Racing.

Sales.

South Green (aged), has been purchased by Mr. J. Mallick, Princess Mir (5 yrs.) by Mrs. J. Alexander, and Auction Bridge (2 yrs.) by Major G. O. M. Furnell.

Angling in the West.

A salmon, 18½lb., caught by Mr. Treatt on Thursday, was the first on the Ballynahinch fishery this season. Frost and cold winds have disappeared and the prospects are good.

DEATH OF MR. H. J. TULLY.

The death took place at his residence, Refarn, Loughrea, on Thursday last of Mr. H. J. Tully, the well-known racehorse owner.

Mr. Tully owned several useful horses, including Knockbarren, Wild Thistle, Bonnie Baby, Thorny Way, and Pearleen. Last year he won sixteen races.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily Sketch:—Double—Loyal Scot and Slater.

Daily Mirror:—Double — Gregalach and Ennis Bridge.

WESTMEATH HUNT POINT-TO-POINT RACES

(Under I.N.H.S. Rules),
AT ARDIVAHAN
(One mile from Mullingar),
On TUESDAY, 25th MARCH, 1930.

THE BARBOUR CHALLENGE CUP*, value £100, with £100 in specie added (presented by Frank Barbour, Esq.), of which the winner will receive £70, second horse £20, and third £10. For horses the bona-fide property on 1st February, 1930, and in same ownership at time of starting, of Members of, or Subscribers to, any recognised Hunt Club in Ireland who have subscribed not less than £10 to their respective Hunts, or Officers of the Army stationed in Northern or Southern Ireland, who have subscribed not less than £5 to a recognised Pack of Hounds. Weight—13 stone. Exclusions—Horses which have won any race under Steeplechase Rules or Rules of Racing in any country excluded. Distance—About four miles. Riders—Those qualified to enter. A Certificate, signed by the Master, that the horse has been fairly and regularly hunted with a recognised Pack of Hounds during the season 1929-30 (Hunting Certificates acknowledged in the *Racing Calendar* as having been received by Mr. Harold Clarke will be sufficient to meet this requirement), and a Certificate signed by the Treasurer of the Hunt †that the owner and rider has paid his subscription for the current season must be produced at the Scales or sent with entry. To be ridden in colours, to be declared at time of entry. ENTRY, £2. BOOKAGE, 5/-.

*To be won three years in succession.

†Masters of a recognised Pack of Hounds are exempt from sending in Certificates as to payment of subscriptions.

OPEN LIGHT-WEIGHT RACE of 25 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. and third 2 sovs. Weight—11st. 7lb. Penalties—A winner under Steeplechase Rules or Rules of Racing to carry 14lb. extra; a winner of two or more Point-to-Points, to carry 7lb. extra; extreme penalty, 14lb. Riders—Professionals excluded. To be ridden in colours. Entrance Fee, 2 sovs. Distance—About three miles.

Entries CLOSE WEDNESDAY, 19th MARCH, with the Hon. Sec., CHARLES V. PORTER, Mullingar, from whom all particulars can be had. —(Advt.)

WARD UNION HUNT POINT-TO-POINT RACES,

At MULLINAM, FAIRYHOUSE,
MONDAY, MARCH 10th.
(Same Course as last year.)

1.30—HUNT RACE. (Confined.)
2.15—HEAVY-WEIGHT OPEN RACE. 13-7. 14lb. penalty for a winner under rules.
3. 0—FARMERS' RACE. Entrance free.
3.30—LADIES' RACE. 11st. and over.
4. 0—LIGHT-WEIGHT OPEN RACE. 12st. Penalties: Point-to-Point winner, 7lb.; a winner under rules, 14lb.

Entry for all above races, £1.
Entries close March 4th.
Full particulars and entry forms from MARK LEONARD, St. Kevin's, Dartry road.—(Advt.)

NAAS.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Should the pleasant weather of yesterday continue, the meeting at Naas this afternoon should be well patronised. By starting racing at 3 o'clock every opportunity is offered to intending visitors from Dublin to reach the venue in comfort and at little inconvenience. A special train leaves Kingsbridge at 2 o'clock and returns from Naas at 5.20, while those going by road need not leave town much before 2 o'clock. The programme is an attractive one, and big fields are promised for most of the events. Selections:—

Robertstown Hurdle—**White Mixture.**
Kildare Hurdle—**Flying Essex.**
Osberstown Steeplechase—**Philalice.**
Halverstown Plate—**Eire.**
Naas Steeplechase—**Culnagor.**

3.0—ROBERTSTOWN HANDICAP HURDLE of 75 sovs. 1½ m. Age st. lb.

SOU' WEST (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 4 11 6
OPALIA (Mr. W. W. Ashe) ......Owner 4 11 4
CARLOVIA (Mr. W. E. Melbourne) Ashe a 11 0
NELL GWYNNE (Mr. J. Hunter) Owner 6 10 9
HO FANG (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 4 10 8
SILENT SERVICE (Mr. John Carroll) J. Kirwan 4 10 7
WOUNDED PRINCE (Mr. H. S. Gray) Behan 4 10 7
WHITE MIXTURE (Mr. John O'Callaghan) Doyle 5 10 5
LORD BURDON (Mr. C. Fagan) Brooks a 10 0
GOLDENETTE (Mr. F. Burke) Parkinson 5 9 12
CURRAGH CALLING (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ......Owner 4 9 12
KOSCIE'S STAR (Mr. H. C. M'Nally) Staunton 5 9 12
PRUDENT ROSS (Mr. E. J. Hope) Dawson 5 9 10
GLEN ISLA (Mr. W. P. Gill) Geraghty 5 9 9
NUGGET LADY (Mr. Jos. Walshe) Parkinson 6 9 7
(The above are under orders to run.)
LAGONDA (Mr. C. Odlum) ......Arnott a 12 7
TONY BOY (Mr. C. Odlum) ......Arnott a 12 4
ORBELL (Mrs. M. Dawson) ......Dawson 5 11 8
MERRYLEGS II. (Mr. B. Weld) Private 4 11 4
LITTLE BOB (Mr. W. P. Gill) ...Arnott 4 11 2
DENIS ORB (Mr. John Doyle) ...Owner a 10 11
BRIGHTER BIRD (Mr. O. T. V. Slocock) Owner 5 10 5
SHEEVRA BEG (Mr. T. Treacy) Nunan a 10 5
PENSIONARY (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 5 10 0
STARMAN (Mr. Peter Kelly) ....Owner a 9 12
CALENDIO (Mr. J. Harte) ..J. Kirwan a 9 10
SAME AGAIN (Mr. E. Delany) ....Owner a 9 9
DRUMWOOD (Mr. John Kelly) J. Kirwan a 9 8
KLEIN'S GIFT (Mr. W. Mullins) J. Kirwan 5 9 7

3.30—KILDARE MAIDEN HURDLE of 75 sovs. 1½ m. Age st. lb.

NICE TOKEN (Mr. J. T. Rodgers) ..Owner 6 11 7
FLYING ESSEX (Mr. P. R. Ryan) Brabazon 5 11 3
POLONIUS (Mr. W. Jackson) ......Ashe 5 11 3
BRANNIGAN (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 5 11 3
RATHBEG (Mr. P. J. Kenny) ....O'Rearke 6 10 7
SOU' WEST (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..Owner 4 10 7
SOUTH QUAY (Mr. L. Charis) ...Private 6 10 7
PHILIP'S FANCY (Mr. F. More O'Ferrall) Dawson 4 10 7
DILOYA (Mrs. N. Sikes) ....Sikes 4 10 7
JENNY BROWN (Mr. V. Smith) ....Owner a 10 7
KILDARE'S PRIDE (Mr. John Doyle) Owner 4 10 2
DUKE OF ATHLONE (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 4 10 2
KILRUSH (Mr. B. Masterson) ......Owner 4 10 2
LADY BREMEN (Mr. D. Murray) ..Owner 4 10 2
CAPE HERMES (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 4 10 2
PANEL (Mr. Manuel Parkinson) Parkinson 4 10 2
(The above are under orders to run.)
ROYAL ACE (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 5 11 5
BIB (Mr. W. W. Ashe) ....Owner 4 11 2
KNOCKMARK (Mr. R. Cargill) ....Owner 6 10 7
GLEN ISLA (Mr. W. P. Gill) Geraghty 5 10 7
CARRICK LASS (Mr. John Kirwan) Owner 4 10 7
FAIR LOMOND (Mr. E. J. Hope) Private 4 10 7
CIDER CUP (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..Owner 5 10 7
CATALON (Mr. J. Harte) ....Kirwan 5 10 7
HOWTH (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) ...Grundy 4 10 7
DOUBLE BEN (Mr. A. Rodgers) ....Clarke 6 10 7
BRIGHTER BIRD (Mr. O. T. V. Slocock) Owner 4 10 7
OATFIELD (Mr. A. D. Comyn) ....Hesher 4 10 2
WALDORF (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..Owner 4 10 2

4.0—OSBERSTOWN HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 50 sovs. 3 m. 76 yds. Age st. lb.

SANDERS (Mrs. H. M. Hartigan) Hartigan a 11 8
INNISFAIL (Sir T. Ainsworth) Arnott a 11 4
BRISTOL ROCKET (Mrs. R. H. Walker) Walker 4 10 8
BEECH DALE (Mr. E. J. Byrne) Clarke a 10 7
ODD CAT (Mr. T. Ray) ....Owner a 10 4
SUNNYFIELD MAID (Mr. E. S. Dowling) Owner a 10 3
SOUTH GREEN (Mr. G. J. Burke) ..Owner a 10 2
SUSIEWUSIE (Dr. G. F. Gillespie) Parkinson a 10 1
PHILALICE (Mr. D. Murray) ......Owner 6 10 1
INGOMAR (Mr. L. F. Ball) ....Dawson a 10 0
ARIZONA'S KNIGHT (Mr. T. O'Rearke) Owner a 10 0
SUN BABY (Miss M. Brown) ......Private a 9 7
MISS HILDA (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner a 9 7
(The above are under orders to run.)
EAST GALWAY (Mr. J. S. Shepherd) Arnott a 13 3
BALLY WEAVER (Mr. M. Macabe) Arnott a 11 10
BLAZING STAR (Mr. M. P. Minch) Tyrrell a 11 9
RUIN (Miss M. R. S. Laidlaw) ..Daly 5 11 4
BATHTOI (Mr. T. J. Taaffe) ....Owner 6 10 12
WATCH YOUR CORK (Mr. M. Ballesty) Owner a 9 9
PRINCE OF IVEAGH (Mr. E. Kennedy) Wellesley 6 9 7
MARLHILL'S BEAUTY (Mr. P. Heffernan) Owner 6 9 7

4.30—HALVERSTOWN PLATE of 50 sovs. A flat race for maidens. 2 m. Age st. lb.

BRIGHT PEARLS (Mr. C. Byrne).. Owner 6 11 7
EMER (Mr. G. M. King) ....Private a 11 7
ARIZONA'S KNIGHT (Mr. T. O'Rearke) Owner a 11 7
PHILALICE (Mr. D. Murray) ......Owner 6 11 7
KNOCKENARRIGAN (Mr. W. W. Ashe) Owner 5 11 3
EIRE (Mr. T. D. McKeever) ....Walker 5 11 3
PRINCE MARTEN (Capt. H. de Burgh) Owner 5 11 3
HECANGO (Mr. A. Mathews) ......Ray 5 11 3
WINCHBURGH (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ..Owner 5 11 3
BATTLE ON (Mr. P. J. Cleary) ...Cleary 5 11 3
INDEPENDENT (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner 4 10 7
CAPE HERMES (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 4 10 7
LAST GIFT (Mr. Jos. Walshe) ....Private 4 10 7
(The above are under orders to run.)
ROCK FOREST (Mr. T. Flood) ......Ashe a 11 7
ANOTHER VIXEN (Mr. J. Jackson) Prendergast a 11 7
DOUBLE BEN (Mr. A. Rodgers) ....Clarke 6 11 7
DUBLIN BAY (Mrs. H. Smith) ......Smith a 11 7
SHADY MAID (Mr. R. Cargill) ......Owner a 11 7
SETTLED DOWN (Mr. Jas. O'Neill) Owner 5 11 3
WOLF'S DELIGHT (G. by Ashore (Mr. J. A. B. Trench) ....Private 5 11 3
DOVE'S PRIDE (Mr. R. J. Shannon) Private 5 11 3
REILLY (Mr. P. J. Murphy) ....Doyle 5 11 3
WHIST (Mr. C. Coffey) ....Owner 4 10 7
BLACK WILLOW (Mrs. J. Cunningham) Private 4 10 7
FLYING LASS (Mr. Jas. J. Dowling) Owner 4 10 7
ATHLONE QUEEN (Mr. S. Johnston) Owner 4 10 7
BELVEDERE QUEEN (Mr. S. Johnston) Owner 4 10 7
WHISSENDINE (Major C. Mitchell) Ashe 4 10 7
WARDORF (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ....Owner 4 10 7
THE COYLE (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..Owner 4 10 7
ROYAL GUNNER (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 4 10 7
CHRYSLER (Mr. L. Partridge) ....Hartigan 4 10 7

4.55 — NAAS MAIDEN STEEPLECHASE of 70 sovs. 2 m. 40 yds. Age st. lb.

CAPTOI (Mr. L. F. Ball) ....Dawson a 11 5
COPPER COURT (Mr. L. F. Ball) Dawson a 11 5
CULNAGOR (Mr. J. Laverty) ......Arnott 6 11 5
HEARTBREAK HILL (Mrs. C. S. Bird jun.) ...Private 5 11 0
IRISH THORN (Mr. P. J. Cleary) Private 5 11 0
(The above are under orders to run.)
FOXBOROUGH (Mr. E. W. Hope Johnstone) Private 6 11 5
FINGLAS PRINCE (Mr. C. McLaughlin) Owner 6 11 5
SHOPLIFTER (Sir Lingard Goulding) Arnott 4 10 0
ROYAL GUNNER (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 4 10 0
LANETOI (Mrs. R. H. Walker) ..Walker 4 10 0

MULLINGAR SPRING MEETING.

TUESDAY, 1st APRIL, 1930.
CLOSING.

All Races Close on WEDNESDAY, 12th MARCH, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin. Telegraphic Address: "Turfclub, Dublin."

THE WESTMEATH PLATE of 40 sovs., of which the second will receive 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. Entrance 1 sov. About three miles.

THE GREVILLE CUP, value 100 sovs. (presented by the late Lord Greville), with 50 sovs. in specie added. A steeplechase. For horses that have never won a race, under any rules, value 98 sovs. Entrance 1 sov. About two miles.

THE BELVEDERE PLATE of 40 sovs., of which the second will receive 5 sovs. A flat race. For horses that have not won a flat race under any rules value 50 sovs. Entrance 1 sov. About two miles.

THE LOUGH ENNEL PLATE of 40 sovs., of which the second will receive 5 sovs. A flat race. For three years old and upwards that have never won a flat race under any rules value 60 sovs. Entrance 1 sov. Seven furlongs and about 150 yards.

THE DONORE HURDLE RACE of 40 sovs., of which the second will receive 5 sovs. A hurdle race. For horses that have not on or since January 1st, 1928, won a race under any rules value 60 sovs. Entrance 1 sov. About one mile and a half.

THE STEWARDS' PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second will receive 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. Entrance 30s. About two miles.

For full particulars see *Racing Calendar*.—(Advt.)

FINGAL HARRIERS' POINT-TO-POINT MEETING,

AT MOORETOWN, SWORDS,
On MONDAY NEXT, 3rd MARCH.
First Race 1.30 p.m.
Motor Enclosure. Entrance 5/-.—(Advt.)

GATWICK TO-DAY: PROBABLE STARTERS AND BETTING.

SELECTIONS.

Chequers Steeplechase—**Old Hickory.**
Copthorne Hurdle—**John Haig.**
National Trial Steeplechase—**Gregalach.***
Stayers' Hurdle—**Dandy Dennis.**
Horne Steeplechase—**Slater.**
Rusper Hurdle—**Ennis Bridge.**
DOUBLE—**Gregalach and Ennis Bridge.**

1.50—CHEQUERS SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 200 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.

LARGIE (7lb. ex.) (Mr. W. Harris) C. Young a 12 5
WORD OF HONOUR (Mr. C. Ringwood) Owner a 12 4
COURT SCANDAL II (Mr. Hutchinson) Hedges a 12 3
REDSHANK (Mr. Hutchinson) Hedges a 12 2
NEWTOWN WONDER (Mr. G. Langlands) Owner a 12 0
HUGH O'NEILL (Mr. J. Pendarves) Owner a 12 0
OLD HICKORY (Mr. F. A. Clark) I. Anthony a 11 13
APRIL FOOL (Mr. R. Wigram) S. Bennet a 11 12
PRIORITY (Mr. C. E. Bennett)...Thrale a 11 12
MERRIE MEMORIES (Mr. J. Hackett) Owner a 11 11
SQUIRE MARTEN (Mr. P. Gordon) Powell a 11 10
CYLBAIRN (Mr. R. Wigram)...S. Bennet a 11 9
LITTLE WAVELET (Mr. J. Pendarves) Owner a 11 8
PINE BLUFF (Mr. A. Law).........Law a 11 7
PRINCE REGENT (Mr. Pennington) Cockton a 11 6
GLOUND SCOUT (Mr. Clayton) H. A. Brown a 11 6
QUITE ALONE (Mr. Goad) J. Nightingall a 11 5
VIBA (Mr. P. Hands)..........Thrale a 11 3
WHITE BISHOP (Mrs. Clark)......Gore a 11 2
VIROL (Mr. Willett).............Owner a 11 2
LETHAM (Col. A. C. Little)........Little a 11 1
LOCHNAREE (Mrs. Vlasto) J. Chapman 6 10 13
MANSER'S PRIDE (Mrs. N. Colls) Woodland a 10 11
NURSEMAID (Mrs. P. Luncombe) Powell 5 10 10
FITAURARI (Ld. Lovat) W. Nightingall 5 10 9
PORPHYRION (Mr. E. B. Skey) Private a 10 6
ARSINOE (Mr. Hutchinson)......Hedges 5 10 5
HACKDENE (Mrs. L. Wilson) I. Anthony a 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters	and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
210	REDSHANK	Prendergast	10/1
404	NEWTOWN WONDER	Mr. Langlands	8/1
121	OLD HICKORY	Mr. Bostwick	5/2
303	APRIL FOOL	Sinnott	5/1
301	LARGIE	Vinall	6/1
200	MERRIE MEMORIES	L. Rees	8/1
013	PINE BLUFF	G. Turner	7/1
003	PRINCE REGENT	Mulcaster	100/8
300	GROUND SCOUT	Stott	7/2
430	VIBA	Thrale	10/1
032	LETHAM	G. Wilson	8/1
000	LOCHNAREE	Foster	100/8
000	MANSER'S PRIDE	G. Goswell	7/1
003	NURSEMAID	Parvin	10/1
040	FITAURARI	G. Hardy	10/1
042	PORPHYRION	Mr. Skey	10/1

2.20—COPTHORNE SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 200 sovs. 2 m.

GAFADOUN (Mr. M. Dollar) ......Thrale 5 12 7
ACHROY (Mr. W. Hutchinson) Hedges 6 11 13
BREWSTER (Mr. Hutchinson) Hedges 6 11 9
JOHN HAIG (Mrs. L. Rihll) ...Hackett 5 11 9
DOUANIER (Mr. P. Harmsworth) Poole 6 11 8
REN CONRAD (Mr. Johnson) Pendarves a 11 8
ALTITUDE (Mr. H. Escott) ...C. Young a 11 8
ALLITERATION (Mrs. C. Evans) Turner a 11 7
TARSUS (Mr. Briscoe) ....Briscoe 6 11 5
CLONLARA (Mr. A. Berry) ....F. Morgan a 11 5
VENETIAN STAR (Mr. F. Politzer) (7lb. ex.) ....C. Langlands a 11 5
WADI HALFA (Mr. Warner) ...Anthony 5 11 4
BORJOM (Mr. G. Butchers) ......Owner 6 11 3
BERKELEY (Mr. E. de Mestre) Owner a 11 2
BANTLING (Ld. Londesborough) Brown 6 11 2
ARTABANUS (Mr. C. Green) ....Cox 5 11 2
VALDORE (Mr. P. Hands) ....Thrale a 11 1
PETER PAX (Mr. J. Pendarves) Owner a 11 1
VIBA (Mr. P. Hands) ....Thrale a 11 0
CYCLONE (Mr. S. Savile) ....Beary 5 10 12
DARK LAD (Mr. A. Hedges) ...Hedges 6 10 12
PATSY (Mr. J. Sale) ....Killalee 6 10 11
NURSEMAID (Mrs. P. Duncombe) Powell 5 10 10
MONK'S DREAM (Miss Bulkeley) Gore 6 10 9
PUTTACOTA (Mr. S. Wootton) Wootton 4 10 8
LYRA (Mr. A. Bassett) ....Hammond 6 10 7
MORLA (Mr. W. Hutchinson) ....A. Law 4 10 7
BONANZA (Mr. S. Wootton) F. Wootton 4 10 6
BILL SYKES (Mr. H. Lawrence) Poole 4 10 5
TYPHOON (Mr. J. Sowerby) ...Hedges 5 10 4
DARK EAGLE (Mr. Politzer) Langlands 4 10 2
PRICKLY HEAT (Capt. Powell) Powell 4 10 2
GRANGE VIEW (Mr. G. Rigby) ..Gore 5 10 2
CHINESE (Mr. J. Mayo) ......C. Young a 10 2
FESTUM (Mr. W. Scott) ....Killalee 5 10 2
MY TOY (Mr. R. Willett) ....Willett 6 10 1
FLAXEN BOY (Mr. Hutchinson) Hedges a 10 1
BATH CHAP (Mrs. Woodman) Mitchell a 10 1
DESKRIE (Mr. J. Newman) .....Geering a 10 0
SIGNET (Mr. J. Pendarves) ......Owner a 10 0
CONNIE DUFF (Mr. H. Brown) Owner a 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters	and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
210	JOHN HAIG	Speck	7/1
000	DOUANIER	Stott	5/1
000	RED CONRAD	Mr. Johnson	10/1
100	ALLITERATION	Hamey	8/1
004	TARSUS	H. Cooper	7/1
130	CLONLARA	F. Morgan	100/6
311	VENETIAN STAR	W. Davies	4/1
002	BORJOM	D. Butchers	11/2
004	BERKELEY	Crump	10/1
400	BANTLING	Moloney	7/2
433	ARTABANUS	F. Cox	10/1
430	VIBA	Thrale	8/1
000	LYRA	L. Rees	100/8
004	TYPHOON	F. Brookes	100/7
000	DARK EAGLE	G. Hardy	100/6
032	PRICKLY HEAT	Parvin	5/1
300	GRANGEVIEW	R. McCarthy	100/6
002	FESTUM	Graves	8/1
030	BATH CHAP	K. Piggott	100/8
400	SIGNET	Redmond	100/6

2.55 — NATIONAL TRIAL STEEPLECHASE (handicap) of 1,000 sovs. 3½ m. Age st. lb.

GREGALACH (Mrs. Gemmell) Leader a 12 7
LORDI (Mr. A. Jones) (7lb. ex.) Turner a 12 4
GATE BOOK (Marquis de San Miguel) F. Barrett a 12 0
GREAT SPAN (Mr. W. Duckworth) T. E. Leader a 12 0
KILBUCK (Mr. E. Hartley) ...Grundy a 11 10
SHAUN GOILIN (Mr. W. Midwood) F. Hartigan a 11 8
BRAVE CRY (Mr. W. Parsonage) Rimell a 11 8
BOVRIL III. (Mr. Pennington) Cockton a 11 5
SAVERNAKE (Mr. Anson) Nightingall a 11 4
BOOMLET (Mr. E. Large) ...I. Anthony a 11 4
TRUMP CARD (Lord Stalbridge) O. Anthony a 11 4
RHYTICERE (Mr. Emanuel) G. Duller a 11 3
GUIDING LIGHT (Mr. J. D'Ardenne) Owner a 11 1
EASY VIRTUE (Mr. W. Tyser) Brown a 11 1
PEGGIE'S PRIDE (Mr. Brandt) James a 11 0
ALIKE (Lady H. McCalmont) ......Gore a 11 0
GIBUS (Capt. F. Guest) ....F. Barrett a 11 0
ARUNTIUS (Mr. J. M. Blair) ......Blair a 10 12
ARDEEN (Sir K. Fraser) ....Fraser a 10 12
CORAL REEF II. (Maj. I. Straker) Woodland a 10 10
GLANGESIA (Mr. R. Mellon) ...A. Law a 10 8
MAY CRESCENT (Mr. Faber) Rayson a 10 7
DARING BOY (Mr. J. Pendarves) Owner a 10 2
MERRIVALE II. (Lord Westmorland) Owner a 10 0
WOOD OWL (Mr. G. Bates) ......Thrale a 10 0
IRISH TEMPLE (Mr. Blagrave) Owner a 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters	and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
121	GREGALACH	T. Leader	6/4
001	LORDI	Stott	5/1
113	SHAUN GOILIN	Waudby	9/2
304	BRAVE CRY	Speck	10/1
000	BOVRIL III.	Mulcaster	100/6
000	SAVERNAKE	R. McCarthy	20/1
114	BOOMLET	D. Williams	8/1
303	TRUMP CARD	W. Gurney	100/8
000	RHYTICERE	G. Hardy	100/6
330	GUIDING LIGHT	K. Piggott	100/6
000	EASY VIRTUE	W. Payne	10/1
025	PEGGY'S PRIDE	T. McCarthy	100/6
203	ALIKE	Mr. Barry	8/1
121	ARUNTIUS	Foster	10/1
100	ARDEEN	Croney	100/6
400	CORAL REEF II.	G. Goswell	100/6
103	GLANGESIA	Sinnott	8/1
142	MAY CRESCENT	C. Rhodes	7/1
233	WOOD OWL	Thrale	100/6
044	IRISH TEMPLE	D. Morgan	10/1

3.30—STAYERS' HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 200 sovs. 3 m. Age st. lb.

ADAGE (Mr. S. Wootton) ....F. Wootton a 12 7
KILRECKLE (Capt. R. Sassoon) Martin a 12 5
SOBRINO (Mr. S. Wootton)...F. Wootton 5 12 2
MASTER ORANGE (Mr. C. Harmsworth) Poole 5 12 1
LOYAL SCOT (7lb. ex.) (Mrs. M. Gemmell) ......T. Leader a 12 0
FAIR WEATHER JACK (Mr. A. Berry) F. Morgan 6 11 12
SOMNUS (Mr. T. B. Ellis) ....Gore 6 11 10
ROYAL TANGO (Mr. F. T. Halse) W. Nightingall 6 11 10
CATHALAN (Mr. T. Mott) ....Thrale a 11 7
DANDY DENNIS (Mr. Walton) Butchers 5 11 7
BURWARTON (Capt. Wilson) Hammett 6 11 5
MONTPELIER (Mr. G. Bates) ...Thrale a 11 4
LANDWADE (Maj. D. Mairs) ......Mairs 6 11 2
PARADEISOS (Mr. J. Clement) Clement a 11 1
CLASH MORGAN (Mr. Hutchinson) Hedges a 11 1
ACHROY (Mr. Hutchinson) ......Hedges 6 11 0
WALLOP (Mr. P. J. Henton) ...Henton a 10 13
LLANDREAMER (Mr. Bretherton) Fitton a 10 12
TAN GIRL (Lady McCalmont) ......Gore 6 10 12
CARAMOND (Mrs. O. Greenslade) Hall a 10 12
DOUANIER (Mr. P. Harmsworth) Poole 6 10 11
ROYAL ROWLAND (Mr. Kimball) C. Chapman 6 10 9
SILVER GRAIL (Mr. G. L. Milne) Powell 4 10 7
IRISH LORD (Mr. M. Stephens) ...Blair 5 10 2
SILVER WILLOW (Mrs. V. Thomas) Powell 4 10 1
YUARITE (Mrs. R. Levy) ....Powell 4 10 1
MORLA (Mr. W. Hutchinson) ...A. Law 4 10 0
PRICKLY HEAT (Capt. Powell)...Owner 4 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters	and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast
020	FAIR WEATHER JACK	F. Morgan	8/1
001	LOYAL SCOT	T. Leader	11/10
330	SOMNUS	R. McCarthy	6/1
003	DANDY DENNIS	D. Butchers	4/1
032	MONTPELIER	Thrale	5/1
000	LANDWADE	Foster	100/7
244	CLASH MORGAN	Prendergast	8/1
010	LLANDREAMER	Robson	10/1
040	TAN GIRL	Maxwell	100/7
212	CARAMOND	Mr. West	7/1
000	DOUANIER	Stott	8/1
100	ROYAL ROWLAND	Mr. Whitfield	10/1
000	YUARITE	Parvin	100/7

4.0—HORNE STEEPLECHASE of 150 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.

BALLASPORT (Col. Wernher) I. Anthony 6 12 10
ST. GERMAINE (Sir L. Goulding) Woodland a 12 7
SLATER (Mr. J. Whitney)......J. Anthony 5 12 3
TEME SALMON (Mr. F. G.-Williams) Rimell 5 12 0
SULTAN OF WICKEN (Lady Penrhyn) Withington a 12 0
CORAL REEF II. (Major Straker) Woodland a 12 0
OBSERVATORY (Mr. D. Crossman) Whitaker 5 12 0
IRISH LANCER (Lord Abergavenny) Whitaker 6 11 7
SPECTROSCOPE (Mr. Collins) G. Bennett a 11 7
THE TOPER (Mr. H. E. Courage) S. Bennet a 11 7
JOKER XII. (Lady Currie)......Private a 11 7
MAISON DRUCE (Mr. Goad) Pendarves a 11 7
FULL DRESS (Lt.-Col. Jickling) F. Morgan a 11 7
CAPRIZANT (Lady McCalmont) Gore 6 11 7
SQUABBLER (Miss Murray) Pendarves a 11 7
GAINSHARP (Baron de Tuyll) F. Hartigan 6 11 7
BIRLINGHAM'S JOY (Maj. P. Honner) Owner 6 11 7
SIDI GABA (Mrs. S. Evans)......Turner 5 11 0
GALINGALE (Col Fairhurst) I. Anthony 5 11 0
AURANIUM (Mr. E. Platt).........Poole 5 11 0
PRIMROSE KNIGHT (Capt. R. E. Sassoon) .... Martin 5 11 0
JACK KETCH (Capt. R. E. Sassoon) Martin 5 11 0
HERDSMAN (Mr. G. Stedall) ... Owner 5 11 0
FUSEE (Miss P. Watts)........Powell 5 11 0
RHYBUDD (Mrs. Bennett) G. Bennett 4 10 0
AIRBLOOM (Mr. F. Chapman) J. Chapman 4 10 0
TETRASANT (Mr. D. Faber)...Rayson 4 10 0
CLANCHY (Maj. Huntington) Withington 4 10 0
LIGHTERMAN (Mr. G. H. Rigby) Gore 4 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters	and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
014	ST. GERMAINE	G. Goswell	7/2
101	SLATER	Cullinan	5/4
024	SULTAN OF WICKEN	Speck	6/1
04	IRISH LANCER	J. Hogan	8/1
004	THE TOPER	Sinnott	100/8
30	JOCKER XIII.	Capt. Weber	100/8
000	FULL DRESS	R. Lyall	100/8
430	CAPRIZANT	Mr. Barry	5/1
000	BIRLINGHAM JOY	C. Cox	100/8
000	SIDI GABA	Hamey	10/1
0	AURANIUM	Stott	7/1
003	AIRBLOOM	K. Piggott	8/1
200	TETRASANT	C. Rhodes	8/1
000	LIGHTERMAN	O'Grady	100/8

4.30—RUSPER HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.

GLEESOME (Sir F. Freake) ......Rimell 5 11 10
LOUGHBROWN (Capt. Wardell) F. Wootton 4 11 7
FREESTATE (Mrs. A. Gemmell) T. E. Leader a 11 0
ELCHO (Mr. R. Gore) ....Gore 6 11 0
TELAVIV (Mr. J. Pendarves) ...Owner 6 11 0
MOUNT HAWKE (Mr. H. Simmonds) Dick a 11 0
BARLEY KNOWE (Mr. E. Stedall) Owner 6 11 0
SPIRAMONDE (Major Walker) Whitaker 6 11 0
ENNIS BRIDGE (Major Bonsor) F. Hartigan 4 11 0
YELLOW ORIEL (Sir D. Llewellyn) F. Hartigan 4 11 0
FLYING ARAB (Mr. Berry) F. Morgan 5 10 10
CARBINEER (Lord Glanely) ......Hogg 5 10 10
VESINGTON HERO (Mr. E. Goby) Owner 5 10 10
BLOCKHEAD (Col. Hughes) T. Leader 5 10 10
TRUNK CALL (Mr. H. Joel) C. Chapman 5 10 10
GLENHAZEL (Mrs. Lewis) ...R. Colling 5 10 10
MOSCOW (Major Middleton) ......Mairs 5 10 10
CABMAN (Major H. Musker) H. Leader 5 10 10
O. (Mrs. G. L. Redmond) ...C. Chapman 5 10 10
KAKIMONO (Mrs. G. Redmond) France 5 10 10
PHYSICIAN (Mr. V. Smith) Withington 5 10 10
POLYDROSS (Mr. J. Tiller) ....Larkin 5 10 10
YEARLY (Mr. B. Warner) ...O. Anthony 5 10 10
CHATSWORTH (Lady Warrender) H. A. Brown 5 10 10
MAIL FIST (Col. Wernher)...I. Anthony 5 10 10
OLIVER CROMWELL (Mr. Ansell) Thrale 4 10 0
PORTHAON (Sir M. McAlpine) J. M. Bell 4 10 0
ENGELBERG (Sir M. McAlpine) J. B. Bell 4 10 0
CLAUDINE (Mr. E. Robson) ....Tabor 4 10 0
P.D.Q. (Mrs. R. Levy) ....Powell 4 10 0
ROCK BOTTOM (Mr. J. Tiller) Larkin 4 10 0
POUNCE (Lady Warrender) H. A. Brown 4 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters	and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
211	FREE STATE	T. Leader	7/2
01	ENNIS BRIDGE	Stott	9/11
	FLYING ARAB	F. Morgan	100/5
000	TRUNK CALL	Ingham	100/8
200	MOSCOW	R. McCarthy	100/6
00	"O"	Teasdale	5/1
00	PHYSICIAN	Moloney	100/6
030	OLIVER CROMWELL	Thrale	7/1
0	PORTHAON	F. Brookes	10/1
	CLAUDINE	W. Beasley	100/6
	P.D.Q.	Parvin	100/6
022	ROCK BOTTOM	Piper	6/1

FORM HORSES.

1.50—Ground Scout. 3.30—Loyal Scot (nap).
2.20—John Haig. 4. 0—Slater.
2.55—Gregalach. 4.30—Ennis Bridge.

Eclipse.

GATWICK RESULTS

2.0—ROSTRUM SELLING STEEPLECHASE of 200 sovs. 3 m.

Mrs. Boswall Preston's br. g. SLIEVE GRIEN, by By George—Broidery, a, 11-4 C. Wenham 1
Mrs. B. Wilson's KEEP COOL, a, 12-0 W. Speck 2
Mr. A. S. Bellville's ROMAN HACKLE, a, 12-0 Mr. West 3

Also ran—Court Scandal II. (P. Prendergast), Rathory (D. Williams), Royal Stingo (J. Hamey), Tiber (J. Hogan), Always Blue (C. Rhodes).

Off 2.2. (Winner trained by Boswall.)

Betting—100 to 30 agst. Roman Hackle, 5 to 1 Rathory, 11 to 2 SLIEVE GRIEN, 6 to 1 Always Blue, 7 to 1 Keep Cool, 10 to 1 Tiber, 100 to 7 Court Scandal II., 50 to 1 Royal Stingo.

Won by ten lengths; four lengths. Rathory was the only other to finish.

The winner was bought in for 140 gns.

Tote dividend (2/- stake)—Win, 9/3; places, 3/-, 3/9, 3/-. Total win pool, 6,975 units; place pool, 8,022 units.

2.30—EWELL SELLING HURDLE RACE of 200 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. H. Collins's b. g. SPECTROSCOPE, by Blink—Silver Light, a, 11-10 ......F. Rees 1
Lord Beaverbrook's MISCOU, 5, 10-10 H. Nicholson 2
M. G. H. Rigby's GRANDENE, 6, 11-10 R. McCarthy 3

Also ran—Zarane (D. Butchers), Santhome (Owner), Blackmoor (T. Cullinan), Mandelieu (W. Crump), Rocky Mountains (W. Speck), Wild Scot (G. Turner), Star Boy (A. Linegar), Family Hope (W. Stott).

Off 2.30. (Winner trained by G. Bennett.)

Betting—100 to 30 agst. Grandene, 7 to 2 Blackmoor, 4 to 1 each Mandelieu and Miscou, 7 to 1 SPECTROSCOPE, 10 to 1 each Family Hope and Rocky Mountains, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a neck; five lengths. Blackmoor was fourth and Star Boy last.

The winner was bought in for 80 gns.

Tote dividend (2/- stake)—Win, 22/6; places, 6/6, 2/9, 3/3. Total win pool, 5,327 units; place pool, 6,001 units.

3.0—TANTIVY STEEPLECHASE of 500 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. W. A. Bankier's br. m. GLADSMUIR, by Moorside II.—Glad Joycie, 5, 11-10 D. Williams 1
Mr. B. D. Davis's PHAETON, 5, 11-10..F. Rees 2
Mr. E. Robson's MOUNTOI, 4, 10-0..C. Rhodes 3

Also ran—Clymping (F. Brookes), Royal Tango (E. Foster), Vinicole (D. Morgan), Kloof (W. Payne), All Over (W. Parvin), Gainsharp (W. Stott), Jacob (J. Hamey), Observatory (J. Hogan), Pommelled (L. Rees), Wretham (Captain Weber).

Off 3.1. (Winner trained by I. Anthony.)

Betting.—2 to 1 agst. Phaeton, 11 to 4 Gainsharp, 7 to 1 Vinicole, 8 to 1 Royal Tango, 10 to 1 Observatory, 100 to 7 GLADSMUIR, 25 to 1 any other.

Tote dividend (2/- stake)—Win, 93/9; places, 18/6, 3/9, 16/-. Total win pool, 7,785 units; place pool, 7,014 units.

Won by a neck; four lengths. Vinicole was fourth and Kloof last.

3.30—INTERNATIONAL HURDLE of 500 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. C. B. Rowe's b. m. WEST INDIES, by Jackdaw—Isle of the Blessed, 6, 11-8 F. Rees 1
Mr. V. Emanuel's RUBICON II., 4, 11-4 P. Donoghue 2
Mr. Foy's SKY WRITER, 5, 10-4......K. Pigott 3

Also ran—Promptitude (W. Speck), Michaelmas Day (W. Stott), Tradescant (A. Waudby), Go Easy (J. Moloney), Ballyscanlon (G. Hardy), Prince Herry (R. McCarthy), Sarong (A. Linegar). Off 3.31. (Winner trained by C. Chapman.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Go Easy, 4 to 1 Rubicon II., 9 to 2 Sky Writer, 7 to 1 Promptitude, 100 to 12 WEST INDIES, 10 to 1 each Michaelmas Day and Prince Cherry, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote dividend (2/- stake)—Win, 31/9; places, 9/3, 4/9, 5/-. Total win pool, 7,971 units; place pool, 8,447 units.

Won by six lengths; half a length. Go Easy was fourth and Sarong last.

4.0—BOX HILL HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 110 sovs. 2 m.

Major C. H. Stevens's b. g. EARLY SURPRISE, by The Earla Mor—Little Ferina, a, 11-0 W. Payne 1
Mr. C. A. Ringwood's WORD OF HONOUR, a, 10-13 ....G. Wilson 2
Major T. Sebag-Montefiore's ST. ROY, 6, 10-7 Captain M. Dennis 3

Also ran—Baronet II. (Mr. S. White), Lewendon (J. Hogan), Ronald Fox (W. Davies), Voice (T. James), Wild Rake (T. Cullinan), Pedro Ponce (Owner), Birthday Pride (C. Rhodes), Variety Star (C. Hanks).

Off 4.1. (Winner trained by Stevens.)

Betting—11 to 8 agst. EARLY SURPRISE, 11 to 4 Lewendon, 5 to 1 Wild Rake, 10 to 1 each Voice and Word of Honour, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by three lengths; eight lengths. Birthday Pride was fourth and Variety Star the only other to finish.

Tote dividend (2/- stake)—Win, 4/9; places, 2/-, 6/10. Total win pool, 7,291 units; place pool, 6,138 units.

4.30—FOUR YEARS OLD HANDICAP HURDLE of 200 sovs. 2 m.

Sir M. Wilson's ch. c. GOLDEN RAIN, by Lemonora—Chicken Pie, 11-4......G. Pellerin 1
Mr. T. R. Rimel's ORBRIL, 12-1......W. Speck 2
Lord Glanely's WESTERN FLIER, 11-9 P. Donoghue 3

Also ran—Filibuster (W. Payne), Quick Service (F. Maxwell), Pounce (J. Moloney), The Torch (A. Wadby), Bachelor's Son (C. Southey), Persian Prince (W. Scott).

Off 4.31. (Winner trained by W. Nightingall.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. Western Flier, 9 to 4 GOLDEN RAIN, 7 to 1 each Pounce and The Torch, 10 to 1 each Orbril and Persian Prince, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a length; three lengths. The Torch was fourth and Filibuster last.

Tote dividend (2/- stake)—Win, 9/9; places, 3/3, 3/6, 3/-. Total win pool, 7,036 units; place pool, 6,049 units.

HUNTING.

THE KILDARE HOUNDS.

The Kildares met at Thornton Railway Bridge, near Dunlavin, on last Thursday. There was a good deal of fog in the forenoon, but it lifted a little later. The Bowry, first drawn, did not hold, but from Cryhelp a fox went away as straight as a gun-barrel over the Dunlavin road and across the Merginstown road, into Tynte Park, where, after a good dusting around the demesne, he was marked to ground. Almost immediately a couple of hounds got on to another fox at the top end of the covert, and the main body being brought on, the new arrival was hunted to Beech Hill, where hounds lost trace of him. Between both foxes a good thirty minutes' checkless hunt was brought off, on a fairly good scent. There was probably a brace in front of the pack from Cryhelp to Tynte Park. Rathsallagh covert and the bogs outside Rathsallagh were drawn blank. We next trotted on to Tynte Park to draw the bottom screens, but nothing came of it. This ended a fairly good day's sport.

THE MEATH HOUNDS.

Sport from the Slane Castle meet on last Thursday proved very disappointing. Hounds began by drawing the drives and the spinney near the Plan blank. They, however, found at once in the little wood and hunted over the Collon-Slane road, thence along the bottoms to the Slane-Drogheda road and on to the Louth covert of Crewbawn, which they skirted for some distance, but were finally run out of scent at Knoth. Grangegreeth, from which there were a couple of excellent hunts earlier in the season, failed to respond From Boyle's gorse a fox went away by Newrath House and the glen, then up the hill to the Plan wood and Slane, and was lost. Drawn again, Boyle's gorse supplied a fox which left on the Tankerstown side, and turning to the right ran back by Newrath to the Plan wood, where, like the first fox, he got in.

Yesterday hounds met at Crosskeys, Drumree, and found at once in Culmullen wood, but the fox got to ground after covering three fields. There was a brace in the bottom, and the hunted one ran to Culmullen wood, where all traces disappeared. From Pelletstown a fox was hunted to near Parsonstown, where he was headed and turned back to the covert. Leaving this on the far side, he pointed for Drumree and was lost near the railway line. Pelletstown was again called upon, and hounds were quickly away on the line of a fox which ran in the directon of Dunshaughlin. Turning sharp to the left, he went over Mr. McDermot's farm and on to Knockmark, where he was bowled over after a fast 17 minutes. The Poorhouse gorse having been drawn blank, hounds went on to Boylan's, which held a brace. The selected one afforded a nice gallop of 22 minutes before getting to ground in Largore.

WARD UNION HOUNDS.

The hard frost of last week was followed by a still more unusual impediment for the Fairyhouse Bridge fixture on last Wednesday. A very heavy fog caused visibility to be poor, and as scenting conditions were exceptionally good there was great difficulty in keeping the pack in view. From Cobbler's Hill, over-looking the Fairyhouse racecourse, hounds ran fast by Mullinam into Herbertstown, before entering the racecourse by the Blue Flag and crossing it to the top of Ballyhack Hill. Keeping ahead by Glascarn and Peacockstown to Grange, the hunt crossed the Lough of Ballyhack for Loughlinstown, and passed Phydolph and Cheeverstown for Friestown. From this point very few saw any more of the hunt, as the Nutstown mearing fence caused a lot of grief, while the pack were running hard in the meantime through Nutstown towards Ballymacoll. From here they went via Ballantry and Strokestown into Caulstown, and pressed their quarry by Flathouse into the farmyard at Jiggstown, where a safe capture finished a very exciting and practically checkless gallop of 70 minutes.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

THE WARD.

March.	Meet.	Hour.
To-day	Nine-mile Stone	1.30
Wednesday, 5th	Ten-mile Bush	1.30
Saturday, 8th	Palmerstown	1.30

THE KILDARE.

To-day	Enfield	11.30
Monday, 3rd	Eagle Hill	11.30
Tuesday, 4th	Millicent House	11.30
Thursday, 6th	Ballyhook	11.30
Saturday, 8th	Balraheen Cross-roads	11.30

THE MEATH.

Monday, 3rd	Agher	11.30
Tuesday, 4th	Mulhuddert	11.30
Thursday, 6th	College Hill	11.30
Friday, 7th	Dunboyne	11.30

SOUTH COUNTY DUBLIN HARRIERS.—These hounds will meet to-day at Crumlin Cross at 2 o'c. sharp.

DUHALLOW HOUNDS.—March—Monday, 3rd, Half-way House; Tuesday, 4th, Oliver's Cross; Thursday, 6th, Liscarroll; Saturday, 8th, Mallow Railway Bridge. 11.30 a.m.

MR. O'HARA'S HARRIERS.—March—Friday, 7th, Claragh; Tuesday, 11th, Carrigans; Friday, 14th, Carrowreilly; Tuesday, 18th, Ballygawley; Friday, 21st, Killoran; Tuesday, 25th, White Gate; Friday, 28th, Templehouse. April—Tuesday, 1st, Claragh. At 11.30 o'clock (weather permitting).

CO. LONGFORD HARRIERS.—March—Monday, 3rd, Moydow; Wednesday, 5th, Granard; Friday, 7th, Lissardowling; Monday 10th, The Kennels; Thursday, 13th, Lisnanagh; Saturday, 15th, Pipers' Cross-roads; Monday, 17th, Ballymahon; Wednesday, 19th, Gurteen House (Ballinalee); Friday, 21st, Toneywarden; Monday, 24th, Ardagh; Wednesday, 26th, Cooleeny; Friday, 28th, Howden's Cross-roads; Monday, 31st, Peggy Maleady's. At 12 noon. April—Thursday, 3rd, Point-to-Point; 8th, Edgeworthstown (1 o'clock) (finish the season).

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ORDER OF RUNNING.

1.30—Light-Weight Race.
2.15—Ladies' Race.
3. 0—Open Light-Weight Race.
3.45—Open Heavy-Weight Race.
4.30—Farmers' Race.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Lincolnshire Handicap—Kean, at 10 p.m. Thursday.

Imperial Cup, Grand Military Meeting, Sandown Park, and County Handicap Hurdle, National Hunt Meeting, Cheltenham—Candlemas.

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GAELIC GAMES.

DUBLIN LEAGUE GAMES AT THREE VENUES.

LEINSTER CONVENTION.

Provincial Conventions open the way to the Easter G.A.A. Congress. Considerable progress will be made to-morrow when the Leinster Council meets at Croke Park

There are five appeals from County Committee decisions before the Convention. One of our most brilliant footballers is concerned in the Naas appeal, and a chairman appointed at an annual convention is concerned in the other. No opposition is made to existing officers, who seem likely to be re-elected, but the final selection of teams for the Railway Cup finals may lead to spirited argument.

Dublin Leagues continue at three venues, and of these Croke Park offers the strongest programme. Indeed, the morning game there between Faughs and Young Irelands will be a pointer to championship strength. Young Irelands have improved their backs and midfield, but are still weak in front. Faughs are a better balanced side, and have recruited some useful men during the off season. Donal McCarthy, who did service for Cork last year; M. Gill, of the Guards, and Campion and Costelloe, of Thurles, will materially strengthen Faughs. Young Irelands will field Martin Hayes, Keeley, Clarke and Scully in support of their usual group.

Kickhams and U.C.D. meet at 1 p.m., and both are potential champions, high on the League table. O'Tooles and Round Towers meet at Parnell Park, and the League holders should win after a close game.

The approved League schemes open on March 23rd and, demanding less matches, can fit into the G.A.A. year comfortably if run to schedule before and after the championship season.

WEEK-END FIXTURES.

Galway—Inter-Varsity. (Fitzgibbon Cup.)
Croke Park—Faughs v. Young Irelands, 11.45 a.m.; Kickhams v. U.C.D., 1 p.m.
Chapelizod—Kevins v. Army Metro 1st, 11.45; Garda v. Army Metro 2nd, 1.0; Geraldines v. Crumlin.
Parnell Park—Erin's Hopes v. O'Dwyers, 12.15; O'Tooles v. Round Towers, 1.30; Parnells v. St. Mary's, 2.45.

FITZGIBBON CUP.

CORK'S NARROW VICTORY OVER GALWAY.

U.C.C., 2-2; U.C.G., 2-1.

After a thrilling game at the Sports Ground, Galway, yesterday, in the first match in the Fitzgibbon Cup Inter-'Varsity Hurling Competition, University College, Cork (holders), defeated University College, Galway, by one point, the final score being 2 goals and 2 points (8 points) to 2 goals and 1 point (7 points). Galway meet Dublin to-day, and on Sunday Cork meet Dublin.

Cork were the first to score, when, after four minutes, Hennerty obtained a goal, and almost immediately Cronin equalised. A point to Cork by Sheehan was followed by one for Galway, Cronin again being the scorer, and that player put Galway ahead with a goal, the Western side leading at the interval by 2 goals and a point to a goal and a point. The only scores in the second half were a point by Kelleher and a goal by Hennerty for Cork. Galway made the mistake of trying for goals instead of going for certain points when they were attacking strongly in this half. Galway had two goals disallowed and Cork one in the first half.

Cork—D. Keating, R. Mulloy, B. Costello, P. O'Donnell (capt.), P. Condon, J. Murphy, D. Murphy, C. Sheehan, T. McCarthy, H. Kellegher, B. Daly, C. O'Leary, B. Finlay, A. Hennerty, P. O'Donovan.

Galway—John Langan, W. Keane, M. Lee, T. Casserley, J. Wynne, H. Casey, J. Henan, P. Greene, M. Moloney, R. Ryan (capt.), M. Keating, K. Jennings, M. Cronin, T. Bray, J. Joyce.

Mr. Michael King (Galway) refereed.

BILLIARDS.

DAVIS V. M'CONACHY.

Closing scores:—Davis, 10,390; McConachy (in play), 9,601.

LINDRUM V. NEWMAN.

Closing scores:—Lindrum (in play), 11,803; Newman, 9,636.

ENGLISH AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Closing scores:—Coles (in play), 1,004; Walter, 574.

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INTER-LEAGUE MATCH AT DALYMOUNT.

THE CUP SEMI-FINAL.

Only two senior matches are in the fixture list for the week-end, but they are strong attractions—the Inter-League game, Irish v. Free State, and the Cup semi-final replay between Fordsons and Shamrock Rovers.

To-day's match at Dalymount Park, which starts at 3.30, will be a test of the relative quality of Free State and Northern Ireland football, and the strength of the Northern team suggests that the home side will have their work cut out for them to avoid a repetition of last season's result.

At Cork Fordsons and Shamrock Rovers played a draw in the Free State Cup semi-final, and to-morrow the tie will be replayed at Iveagh grounds at 3.15. It promises to be a stirring struggle, but the Rovers being, as it were, at home, ought to pull through.

THE FIXTURES.

Free State League v. Irish League. Dalymount Park, 3.30.

LEINSTER LEAGUE—I.

Shelbourne v. Ormeau. Shelbourne Park.
University College v. Bohemians. Terenure.
Richmond Rovers v. Drumcondra. Richmond road.
Shamrock Rovers v. Edenville. Milltown.
Bendigo v. Glasnevin. The Thatch.
Dolphin v. Brideville. Dolphin's Barn.

LEINSTER LEAGUE—II.

Bohemians v. Midland Athletic. Shandon Park.
G.S.R. v. Ranelagh. Chapelizod.
Melrose Celtic v. Jacobs. Philipsburgh avenue.

EXHIBITION GAME.

Derry Celtic v. Dundalk. Derry.

ENGLISH CUP—SIXTH ROUND.

Aston Villa v. Huddersfield.
West Ham v. Arsenal.
Notts Forest v. Sheffield Wednesday.
Newcastle United v. Hull City.

TO-MORROW.

FREE STATE CUP—SEMI-FINAL.

Shamrock Rovers v. Fordsons. Iveagh grounds, Crumlin, 3.15.

TEAMS.

IRISH LEAGUE.—A. Gardiner (Cliftonville); McGinnigle (Coleraine), R. Fulton (Belfast C.); McCleery (Linfield), Reed (Derry City), Sloan (Linfield); Mackie (Coleraine), Cassidy (Ballymena), Bambrick (Linfield), McCambridge (Ballymena), Murphy (Ballymena).

FREE STATE LEAGUE.—H. Cannon (Bohemians); Byrne (Shelbourne), Bermingham (Brideville); Glen (Shamrock Rovers), Sullivan (Fordsons), Ferguson (Dundalk); McGrillen (Shelbourne), Flood (Shamrock Rovers), Blair (Fordsons), Fullam (Shamrock Rovers), Kendrick (Shelbourne).

Referee—Mr. Arnold Josephs (South Shields).

SELECTIONS FOR GATWICK MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	1.50 RACE.	2.20 RACE.	2.55 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.	4.30 RACE.
Irish Times	Old Hickory.	John Haig.	Gregalach.*	Dandy Dennis.	Slater.	Ennis Bridge.
Galtee More	—	—	Gregalach; if ab., Shaun Goilin.	Dandy Dennis.	Slater.	—
S. Life & Sportsman	Pine Bluff.	John Haig.*	Shaun Goilin; Easy Virtue, place.	Somnus; Loyal Scot, place.	Slater.*	Ennis Bridge.
Man on the Spot	Ground Scout.	Venetian Star.	Gregalach, if ab., Shaun Goilin.	Loyal Scot.	Slater.	Ennis Bridge.
Daily Mirror	Old Hickory.	Venetian Star.	Gregalach.*	Dandy Dennis.	Slater.	Ennis Bridge.
Daily Sketch	Pine Bluff.	Alliteration.	Gregalach; if ab., Shaun Goilin.	Loyal Scot.*	Slater.	Ennis Bridge.
Star	Old Hickory.	Venetian Star.	Shaun Goilin.* Boomlet, place.	Loyal Scot.	Slater; Caprizant, place.	Ennis Bridge.
Evening News	Old Hickory.*	Connie Duff.	Shaun Goilin.	Clash Morgan.*	Teme Salmon.	Ennis Bridge.
Evening Standard	Letham.	Wootton's selected.	Shaun Goilin.	Royal Rowland.	Slater.	Ennis Bridge.
The Times	Old Hickory.	Puttacota; if abs., Douanier.	Gregalach.	Loyal Scot; if abs., Master Orange.	Slater.	Hartigan's selected.

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COURSING.

A BRILLIANT FINISH AT CLONMEL.

DAINTY MAN AND KEEL ROSE WIN.

INTERNATIONAL CUP FOR HAZLEBANK.

BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

There was a brilliant finish to the National meeting at Clonmel yesterday. The first of the finals run off was for the Derby, which Dainty Man won for Mr. T. O'Connor, a blacksmith, living at Newtownsandes, in North Kerry. Then followed the success of Mr. Kelleher's Keel Rose in the Oaks, and of Mr. M. O'Donnell's Edmund Point in the Clonmel Cup, and the most successful of the National Meetings was brought to a close with the victory of Hazlebank in the International Cup.

The Irish Coursing Club was distinctly fortunate in having three such fine days, and the great interest which was taken in the meeting all over the country was reflected in the attendances, receipts being up something like £250 on those of last season.

Almost to the end of the chapter it looked as if Mr. Joseph Shaw would for the second time furnish the winner of the big stake (he won it with Spirit of Mischief), but Son of the Soil had not been running convincingly, and there were many who predicted his ultimate downfall, which came in the fifth round, in which he struck his colours to Roving Bunty, whose owner had Roving Dick in the last round twelve months ago.

Son of the Soil is a slow beginner from slips, and in this course had not time to make up the ground lost by a slow start, and was led and outworked. In fact, he did not look like winning at any point, and coming to the end of a heavy course he was not going into his game with the determination displayed by his opponent, who was a worthy victor.

When Dainty Man went to slips with Roving Bunty he had the better of the handicap, as he made his courses comparatively easy, but it was only after considerable difficulty he shook off the red collar in the race to the hare, the margin by which he made the turn being a length, if it was that much. He had a few more points to start with, but Roving Bunty fought it out gallantly. He, however, could make no impression on the other's early gains, and when Dainty Man again brought his teeth into play he was a meritorious winner.

Keel Rose and Friend's Gift, who are of the same litter of ten, were the finalists for the Oaks, and they well deserved the distinctions which they achieved. They fought out a capital deciding course, and to the close Friend's Gift made it interesting, but she could not concede a two lengths' lead, and the loss of a few more scores right off the reel, and was soundly beaten. The coursing in this stake was much better than that which we saw in the Derby, the bitches, of course, being keener on the scut.

There was talk of a division in the Clonmel Cup between Dr. Beefex and Edmund Point, but it did not come to anything. It was a disappointing final, Edmund Point racing up three lengths and going slick into his game at the first attempt.

After the first round of the International Cup it was obvious that nothing was moving so smoothly as Mr. Hilliard's Hazlebank (for which, by the way, I expressed a marked preference on Wednesday), and for each of his courses he was favourite. He won his first two yesterday comfortably, and had the good fortune to get off lightly, thanks to his own merit. Valentino, on the other hand, got it fairly heavy, particularly in his spin with Off You Pop, which was backed to beat him, and he was feeling the strain when he was slipped with the Cumberland dog.

There was but a length between them at the turn, but when it came to coursing Hazlebank asserted a definite superiority. It was a pity, however, from the sentimental viewpoint, that Off You Pop did not pull through in his course with Valentino, and so give to the finish an international flavour. However, the two best dogs in the stake reached the last stage of what bids fair in the future to be the most attractive feature of the national meetings at Powerstown Park.

NATIONAL BREEDERS' STAKES (DERBY)—For 64 dog puppies, with Cup value 150 guineas, presented by H. Sawtell, Esq. Winner, £350; second, £125; two dogs, £60 each; four dogs, £25 each; eight dogs, £10 each; sixteen dogs, £5 each.

IV.

SON OF THE SOIL beat Round Square—4 to 1 on Son of the Soil.

ROVING BUNTY beat Kilbreen Boy—6 to 4 on Kilbreen Boy.

ROYAL TOM beat Slieverde Boy—2 to 1 on Royal Tom.

DAINTY MAN beat Shot Truce—7 to 4 on Dainty Man.

V.

ROVING BUNTY beat Son of the Soil—2 to 1 on Son of the Soil.

DAINTY MAN beat Royal Tom—5 to 2 on Dainty Man.

VI.

Mr. T. O'Connor's r. f. DAINTY MAN (Rattleaway—Sally Lent) beat Mr. R. Barry's bd. ROVING BUNTY (Mutton Cutlet—Roving Belle).

NATIONAL BREEDERS' STAKES (OAKS)—For 32 bitch puppies, with Cup value £30. Winner, £175; second, £75; two dogs, £30 each; five dogs, £10 each; eight dogs, £5 each.

III.

MARLINSTOWN LASS beat Golden Quaker—2 to 1 on Golden Quaker.

KEEL ROSE beat Bamba—3 to 1 on Keel Rose.

FRIEND'S GIFT beat Something Tasty—2 to 1 on Friend's Gift.

HIDDEN RUN beat Empress Forest—3 to 1 on Hidden Run.

IV.

KEEL ROSE beat Marlinstown Lass—4 to 1 on Keel Rose.

FRIEND'S GIFT beat Hidden Run—2 to 1 on Friend's Gift.

V.

Mr. P. Kelleher's bd. KEEL ROSE (Mutton Cutlet—Winter Rose) beat Mr. J. Fenton's bd. FRIEND'S GIFT (Mutton Cutlet—Winter Rose).

INTERNATIONAL CUP—For 32 all-ages, with cup, value £100, presented by E. Baxter, Esq. Winner, £150; second, £50; two dogs, £15 each; four dogs, £5 each.

III.

CAPTURED HALF beat Larry the Flail—2 to 1 on Captured Half.

HAZLEBANK beat Open Steak—2 to 1 on Hazlebank.

OFF YOU POP beat Loughnagare—5 to 1 on off You Pop.

VALENTINO beat Saturday—5 to 2 on Valentino.

IV.

HAZLEBANK beat Captured Half—5 to 2 on Hazlebank.

VALENTINO beat Off You Pop—5 to 4 on Off You Pop.

V.

Mr. G. H. Hilliard's bd. d. HAZLEBANK (De Novo—Beaded Bess) beat Mr. E. A. Vivian's bk. d. VALENTINO (De Novo—Harberina)—2 to 1 on Hazlebank.

CLONMEL CUP—For 32 puppies, with Cup (value £30) presented by the citizens of Clonmel. Winner, £100; second, £30; two dogs, £10 each; four dogs, £5 each.

III.

NIGHT GUIDE beat Graigueswood Boy.

DOCTOR BEEFEX beat Hydrometer.

EDMUND POINT beat Peace River

MICKY MARSH beat Kells Castle.

IV.

DOCTOR BEEFEX beat Night Guide.

EDMUND POINT beat Micky Marsh.

V.

Mr. M. O'Donnell's f. d. EDMUND POINT (Cheerful Speed—Maise) beat Miss M. Dunne's bd. d. DOCTOR BEEFEX (Mutton Cutlet—Donnetta).

COURSES DESCRIBED.

THE DERBY.

FOURTH ROUND.

SON OF THE SOIL beat ROUND SQUARE—Half-way up Son of the Soil was a length clear, and he widened the gap to two lengths at the turn. He swept nicely round for the second, whereupon Round Square cut in for a point. The favourite then scored twice, but ran wide nearing the escapes. The red collar wound up the stronger, but Son of the Soil was a good winner.

ROVING BUNTY beat KILBREAN BOY—Roving Bunty led a length, but Kilbrean Boy had the second. He ran very wide, however, and as the fast hare straightened out, the winner chased her to cover.

ROYAL TOM beat SLIEVERUE BOY—It was only in the last few strides that Royal Tom converted a deficit of a length into a lead of two, coming with a great burst at the finish. A few sharp exchanges followed, both working closely, but Royal Tom showed superior pace, and, although inclined to run a little wide at the end, he wound up with plenty in hand.

DAINTY MAN beat SHOT TRUCE—The latter split wide from slips and was led two lengths. Dainty Man also took the second, and at once settled his opponent's chance by racing across for the kill.

FIFTH ROUND.

ROVING BUNTY beat SON OF THE SOIL—Roving Bunty at once took the lead, and, with Son of the Soil changing sides, the Northern dog was led two lengths. The winner held his place for the second, and with the favourite standing off his game, and the other working closely, Roving Bunty was a meritorious winner of an exciting course, when the loser killed.

DAINTY MAN beat ROYAL TOM—Dainty Man stretched out for a three lengths' lead in a long slip, and after scoring again, resigned possession, the loser then picking in for one and going on to drive the hare home.

DECIDING COURSE.

DAINTY MAN beat ROVING BUNTY—Dainty Man ran unsighted, but when he put down his head he forged up and went round a length (or less) for the turn. He held on cleverly for the next two, and, following an exchange or two, resumed for a nice sequence and the kill, having fully three-fourths of the scoring points.

THE OAKS.

THIRD ROUND.

MARLINSTOWN LASS beat GOLDEN QUAKER.—In the longest slip of the meeting Marlinstown scored the turn by a length. Golden Quaker came down heavily as the hare broke, and the outsider cut in for another. Golden Quaker recovered well and stretched out for a few swerves to cover.

KEEL ROSE beat BAMBA.—Keel Rose reached the hare three lengths clear, and had lots the best of both ends of it, the loser scoring only a few times in the middle.

FRIEND'S GIFT beat SOMETHING TASTY.—Friend's Gift was up two lengths for the opening score. Something Tasty contested it freely, but the winner kept the better line, and never left the issue in doubt.

HIDDEN RUN beat EMPRESS FOREST.—Hidden Run forged up for a two lengths' lead in a good buckle, and had the course won well before Empress Forest turned it up completely.

FOURTH ROUND.

KEEN ROSE beat MARLINSTOWN LASS.—Keel Rose rattled away for a lead of half a dozen lengths, came nicely round for another, and after a quick exchange Marlinstown Lass killed.

FRIEND'S GIFT beat HIDDEN RUN.—Friend's Gift brought her game round three lengths to the good, and sticking close to the scut, had a strong winning balance when a fast hare beat her.

DECIDING COURSE.

KEEL ROSE beat FRIEND'S GIFT.—In a grand set-to Keel Rose forged past for a lead of two lengths. She put up a strong sequence before the white collar began to score freely, but Friend's Gift had not the pace, although she was going the stronger at the close, and was well in arrears when the good hare escaped.

INTERNATIONAL CUP.

FOURTH ROUND.

HAZLEBANK beat CAPTURED HALF.—It was a good buckle, but Hazlebank held on steadily for a lead of a length or so, and as the hare broke he went with her to effect the death.

VALENTINO beat OFF YOU POP.—Valentino reached the hare a length and a half clear, and was a good winner of a heavy, scrambling course.

DECIDING COURSE.

HAZLEBANK beat VALENTINO.—Hazlebank passed out the black for a lead of a length, and coursing much more stylishly and determinedly, had matters very much his own way in a rousing spin.

COURSING.—National Meeting at Powerstown Park: Special report. See To-day's issue of "THE IRISH FIELD." Price 2d.—(Advt.)

ROWING.

THE CREWS FOR THE BOAT RACE.

The Cambridge University President announced yesterday that he had awarded Blues to the following:—D. Gaig Thomas (Lady Margaret), bow; H. R. N. Rickett (Third Trinity), 2; A. S. Reeve (Selwyn), 3; P. N. Carpmael (Jesus), 4; W. A. Prideaux (Third Trinity), 7; R. E. Swartout (First Trinity), cox. This completes the crew for the boat race, and is the order in which they will row against Oxford on April 12th.

The Old Blues are M. H. Warner (First Trinity), 5; J. B. Collins (Third Trinity), 6, and T. A. Brocklebank (Third Trinity), stroke.

THE OXFORD CREW.

The Oxford crew has been definitely decided upon as follows:—M. J. Waterhouse (Eton and Balliol), bow; C. M. Johnston (Shrewsbury and Brasenose), 2; N. K. Hutton (Fettes and University), 3; R. V. Low (Winchester and University), 4; H. R. A. Edwards (Westminster and Christ Church), 5; L. Clive (Eton and Christ Church), 6; D. F. Tinne (Eton and University), 7; C. F. Martineau (Harrow and University), stroke; H. A. G. Durbridge (Malvern and University), cox.

The crew had their last outing on home waters yesterday, and will rest to-day prior to their first appearance at Goring on Monday morning.

TABLE TENNIS.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	L.	Points. F.	A.	%
Castle	26	24	2	116	14	89.2
Thomond A	24	22	2	101	19	84.2
Cadarga	27	22	5	99	35	73.1
Anglesea	25	18	7	88	37	70.4
Acme A	29	21	8	98	47	67.6
Harlequins	27	19	8	87	48	64.4
Acme B	25	16	9	76	49	60.8
Thomond B	28	18	10	80	59	57.6
*Castle II.	25	15	10	66	59	52.8
Rosemount	26	12	14	66	64	50.8
*Cadarga II.	26	10	16	64	66	49.2
*Nomads	28	10	18	61	79	43.3
St. Mark's	25	10	15	52	73	41.6
*Thomond II.	25	8	17	50	75	40.0
*Red Rock	25	3	22	17	108	13.6
Harlequins II.	25	2	23	17	108	13.6
*Newcomes	27	2	25	14	121	10.4
*Beechwood	26	2	24	13	117	10.0

Teams marked * are Junior.

COUNTY DOWN HUNTS' STEEPLECHASES.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, MARCH 5 AND 6.

ORDER OF RUNNING.

FIRST DAY.

Dufferin Plate ...... 1.30 Downshire Plate... 3.15
Benburb Cup ...... 2.15 Farmers' Plate 3.45
Downpatrick Plate. 2.45

SECOND DAY.

Ulster Plate ...... 1.20 Ballydugan Plate.. 3. 0
Lecale Plate ...... 2. 0 Co. Down Hunts'
Iveagh Plate ...... 2.30 Cup 3.30

CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

THE CURRAGH, Friday.

A foggy morning.

BEHAN'S Wounded Prince came a sharp six furlongs spin. Others of the team were given half-speed gallops over five furlongs.

DOYLE'S Reilly went seven furlongs at a rousing pace. Kildare's Pride, White Mixture and Brawlie covered a like journey at a good pace.

DAWSON'S Orbell went six furlongs at a rattling pace.

FETHERSTONHAUGH'S Partoi, Waterman and the two-year-olds were usefully employed.

GRUNDY'S Prince Tan, Howth, Freighter, and the rest of the team had brisk cantering exercise.

HUNTER'S Nell Gwynne went seven furlongs at three-parts speed. Overall, Stormproof, and others were usefully employed over five furlongs.

HARTIGAN'S Sanders was sent a steady mile and a half. Ho Fang and Duke of Athlone went six furlongs sharply.

PARKINSON'S Cape Hermes, Royal Gunner, Sou'West and Cider Cup went a mile at a good speed.

ROGERS'S Nice Token and Winchburgh were sent the same distance at a similar rate.

SLOCOCK'S Brighter Bird and Boway galloped seven furlongs.

SELECTIONS FOR NAAS.

Robertstown Hurdle—HO FANG or KOSCIE'S STAR.
Kildare Hurdle—FLYING ESSEX.
Osberstown Plate—SANDERS.
Halverstown Plate—REILLY.
Naas Maiden Plate—CULNAGOR.

Bookmakers at Gatwick.

The innovation recently adopted at Newbury of moving the bookmakers in Tattersall's ring further away from the stands was in force at Gatwick yesterday. They arranged themselves around the rails, and this left a clear space of about thirty yards at the top of the ring.

GOLF.

CROSS-CHANNEL NOTES.

THE WALKER CUP.

(By R.A.)

The eyes of the golfing world will this year be centred not so much on the Open or Amateur Championships as upon the Walker Cup contest in May. That both countries are in deadly earnest is shown by the fact that America has already nominated her team, while Great Britain has emerged far enough from her shell to select sixteen possibles. Sixteen choices rather savour of the Oxford and Cambridge boat race trials, with the exception that the Selection Committee have omitted two coxswains and two reserves:—

T. A. Bourne,	W. Campbell,
Robert Harris,	Rex Hartley,
Major C. Hezlet,	J. A. Lang,
J. N. Smith,	C. McKinlay,
J. A. Stout,	R. H. Oppenheimer,
C. J. H. Tolley,	J. A. Torrance,
R. H. Wethered,	Dr. W. Tweddell,
Sir E. Holderness,	John Wilson.

These make two excellent eights, but the addition of N. Sutton, Major G. N. C. Martin, J. B. Beck and Dawson of Troon might conceivably have added strength to the final boat. It is easy to criticise a Selection Committee, and I firmly believe that, if fifty such committees were set up, not two would tally. We now come to the point that we have sixteen players to choose from, while America has her team ready, with two reserves. The latter side will have opportunities, not only to know one another, but to train and pair off any foursome couple. They arrive on these shores in April, and so will have ample time to learn the intricacies of St. George's. They will be unfettered by business worries, free to do what they like, and should stand on the first tee physically and mentally fit.

What about the British team? Anyone who has played in foursomes knows that with one partner they will play well and with another the very reverse. The British record in the Walker Cup foursomes is melancholy; for out of twenty they have lost fourteen and won only six. As the foursomes take place on the first day, the team that gains the verdict can sleep on the first night peacefully and quietly, while its opponents will struggle with inferior complexes. The importance of the foursomes cannot be exaggerated; so we may well ask the nominated sixteen to get together as soon as the east winds cease to blow. This is more easily said than done, as half the side are busy men and cannot afford the time to go in for such intensive training as a university crew would suffer. However, presuming that all can give themselves the required time, let us analyse these sixteen and try to forecast at this early date the ultimate eight who will parade.

C. J. H. Tolley, the enigma of the links, selects himself, if only for the reason that it would be impossible to leave out the reigning Amateur Champion. Let us hope that on the fateful two days he will be in his very best mood, and not go looking for lost tribes in the hills. R. H. Wethered, though not, perhaps, the Wethered of a few years ago, is the type who produces his best when that best is most necessary. Sir E. Holderness is so superlatively steady, even without practice, that it would be a sin if he were absent.

Major C. O. Hezlet I would like to see pitted against the "master," Bobby Jones. The spread-eagle stanced Irishman might quite easily upset by auto-suggestion the narrow-stanced American. At any rate, I can see nobody who is likely to beat the champion of champions. Many people would consider that Robert Harris has now qualified for the veteran category. I am not one of these; for his forty-eight years sit lightly upon him. His unique knowledge of St. George's, combined with sterling golf qualities and vast experience, must surely allow him to stand the strain of a two days' match.

A contrast in age is T. A. Bourne, Amateur Champion of France in 1928, and winner of the only big competition held so far this year—namely, the President's Putter at Rye, when he defeated Sir E. Holderness in the final. This young player at one time was subject to crazy fits on the green, but is now a very sound putter and, as his style is almost perfect, he is a match for anyone. The runner-up of last year's Amateur Championship, J. Nelson Smith, if he can find the time, is another that should be included. There may be more spectacular players, but he is trustworthy, and has the great asset of not being overawed by occasions. Last, but not least, we come to J. A. Stout. Enormously long, he has the power to recover even if he does get into trouble. The sight of a gorse bush floating, like thistledown, in the air at the same time as his golf ball lands on the green is enough to upset even the steadiest of opponents.

We have now got out first trial eight, and a very fine one, too. With regard to the remainder, it is sufficient to say that they are all proved golfers, and he would be a bold man who would lay any extended odds against their beating my nominated eight.

LEINSTER ALLIANCE.

THE SHIELD.

To-morrow at Woodbrook the Leinster Alliance will hold the competition for the *Irish Times* Shield, and, by the courtesy of the Kingstown, Milltown and Hermitage Clubs, members of Woodbrook may play on these courses. The four best returns by members of the same club will win the cup, and, in addition, there will be two gross and two nett prizes.

NEW COURSE FOR BANGOR.

Mr. W. R. Robinson, the well-known Northern golf authority and architect of the Carnalea Course, Bangor, has leased from the Dufferin Estate an extensive stretch of land adjoining Helen's Tower for an 18 hole golf course. The entrance to the new course will be from the village of Conlig, situated half-way between Bangor and Newtownards. The first nine holes will be ready for play on July 1st, and the full 18 holes next spring.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

ROYAL DUBLIN.

To-day—Monthly medals, strokes. Annual general meeting at 5.30

PORTMARNOCK.

To-day—The Great Northern Cup, strokes.

SUTTON.

To-day—Monthly tankard, bogey.

CLONTARF.

To-day—Monthly Cups finals.

DUN LAOGHAIRE (KINGSTOWN).

To-day—Monthly medal v. bogey. Class I.—Scratch to 10. Class II.—11 to 19. Class III.—20 to 24.

ISLAND.

Saturday, March 8th—Semi-open mixed foursome v. bogey; post entries; choose opponents.

HOWTH.

Ladies' Branch—To-day—Annual general meeting in the clubhouse at 3.

WOODBROOK.

To-day—Monthly medal, 18 holes, bogey.

MILLTOWN.

To-day—Monthly medal, 18 holes, strokes. Ladies' Branch—March 3rd—Monthly medal, 18 holes, strokes; competitors must start by 2.30. March 6th—Club foursomes (Scotch), 18 holes, strokes; draws 10.30, 11, 2, and 2.30. Two players in Class I may play together.

Unexpected Lincoln Scratching.

The scratching of Kean out of the Lincolnshire Handicap, at 10 p.m. on Thursday, was unexpected, as the horse had met with good support, and it was reported that he would run with F. Sharpe in the saddle. He won two races in the spring of last year, and was handicapped to carry only 2lb. more than the bottom weight.

RUGBY.

CUP TIES TO-DAY.

The opening matches in the Leinster Senior Cup, the Metropolitan Cup and Provincial Towns' Cup provide a big programme for this afternoon. The games in the Senior competition promise to be particularly interesting. The first will be between Old Wesley and Blackrock College, teams who on the season's form are fairly level. Wanderers and Trinity appear in the second match at 4 o'clock, and another close game should be the outcome of their meeting.

FIXTURES.

LEINSTER SENIOR CUP—FIRST ROUND.

Old Wesley v. Blackrock College. Referee—Mr. R. W. Jeffares, jun. Lansdowne road, 2.30.
Wanderers v. Dublin University. Referee—Mr. D. C. Pickeman. Lansdowne road, 4.0.

MUNSTER SENIOR CUP.

U.C.C. v. Dolphin. Cork.
Young Munsters v. Cork Constitution. Limerick.

METROPOLITAN CUP.

Malahide v. Railway Union. Malahide, 3 o'clock.
Wanderers 2nd v. Civil Service. Railway Union ground, Park avenue, 4 o'clock.
Dublin University 2nd v. Blackrock College 2nd. College Park, 2.15.
Old Wesley 2nd v. Bective Rangers 2nd. Donnybrook, 4 o'clock.
Celbridge v. University College 2nd. Celbridge, 3.15.
Lansdowne 2nd v. Y.M.C.A. Claremont road, 3 o'clock.
C.Y.M.S. v. College of Surgeons. Terenure, 2.30.
Clontarf 2nd v. Imperial Tobacco Co. Castle avenue, 3 o'clock.
Palmerston 2nd v. Suttonians. Clonskeagh, 3 o'clock.

PROVINCIAL TOWNS' CUP.

Athy v. Naas. Athy.
Mullingar v. Longford. Mullingar.
Balbriggan v. Dundalk. Balbriggan.
Wexford v. Carlow. Wexford.

SENIOR FRIENDLY MATCH.

University College v. Palmerston. Mr. F. Corr. Terenure.

JUNIOR CLUB GAMES.

Malahide 2nd v. Old Wesley 3rd. Malahide.
Dundalk v. Civil Service 2nd. Dundalk.
Naas v. Bective Rangers 3rd. Naas.
Monkstown 3rd v. University College 3rd. Sydney Parade.
Suttonians 2nd v. Y.M.C.A. Sutton.
Old Wesley 3rd v. Church of Ireland T.C. Milltown.
Lansdowne 3rd "A" v. Imperial Tobacco Co. 2nd. Crumlin.
Lansdowne 3rd "B" v. Old 1st Co. B.B. Chalgrove terrace.

SCHOOL GAMES.

Mountjoy School 2nd v. St. Columba's College 2nd. Sea road.
Mountjoy School (J.C.T.) v. Wesley College (J.C.T.). Sea road.
Masonic School v. St. Andrew's College. Richview, Clonskeagh.
St. Andrew's College 2nd v. High School 2nd. Stillorgan road.
St. Andrew's College (under 14) v. Terenure College (under 14). Stillorgan road.
Drogheda Grammar School v. King's Hospital. Drogheda.
King's Hospital (J.C.T.) v. Earlsford H.S. (J.C.T.). Blackhall place.

TEAMS.

Wanderers—D. Kennedy; J. Shee, R. L. Bermingham, P. F. Murray, J. H. Laing; A. P. Harris, R. Buchanan; J. D. Clinch, C. R. Graves, L. Halligan, W. J. McCormick, M. McQuaid, H. N. Potterton, G. W. Robertson, D. T. Young.

Wanderers 2nd—J. H. Morton; W. G. Patterson, S. Beere, D. R. Rountree, J. G. Greally; L. Hall, J. T. Keegan; F. K. Carey, J. Carroll, A. J. Fisher, A. D. Clinch, A. R. Macpherson, A. L. Murray, E. L. Thompson, B. Williams.

Dublin University—P. J. Mullaney; J. F. MacNeice, R. McNeilly, W. G. R. Leughery, R. W. Fox, J. C. D. Hewat (capt.), J. W. Stokes; V. J. Pike, F. C. Jackson, J. C. Conroy, H. Michael, J. L. Baxter, H. V. Tighe, D. L. Graham, T. J. M. Gregg.

Dublin University 2nd—B. E. Betty; S. G. O'Neill, G. F. Harris, M. Dee, N. J. Tindal; A. D. Turner, S. H. R. Price; D. M. H. Milmo (capt.), St. J. S. Pike, B. O'Brien, R. C. Sutton, P. C. Cosgrove, R. G. Taylor, G. T. Keays, H. W. Stephenson.

University College—J. O'Connell; T. O'N. Kiely, D. O'Malley, P. Cremin, M. Saurin; P. Roche (capt.), F. Dawson; W. O. Cremin, F. O'Driscoll, B. Neary, P. Purcell, J. O'Donnell, J. N. McHugh, J. Lalor, T. P. Hogan.

University College 2nd—G. Enright; J. Sheehan, N. Hogan, R. McHugh (capt), M. Hyland; K. Keohane, R. Hogan; J. Duff, K. Mellett, J. Barnard, E. Plunkett, F. Mangan, T. Flood, B. O'Connell, E. Buckley.

Palmerston—H. W. Massey; V. E. Kirwan, R. Cobbe, W. I. Stafford, A. E. Dowds; D. D. Hussey, F. P. Hussey; J. R. Y. Wilson, C. N. Kirwan, A. E. Thompson, J. H. Thompson, T. A. Thompson, R. C. Trapnell, H. Jeffares, M. J. Kane.

Palmerston 2nd—H. A. Stafford; F. H. Lane, R. Boothman, J. W. Peard, R. Dick; A. R. Ressell, C. G. Patterson; J. Kean (capt.), J. J. Kean, J. M. Manson, J. R. Pratt, J. A. Mann, W. A. Smith, V. E. Kerr, W. Mahony.

College of Surgeons—J. H. Armstrong; B. T. Matthews, J. R. Coiter, D. W. Navin, H. R. Rogers; J. Hill, P. Robinson; J. S. Barr, J. N. Campbell, R. F. Flood, E. Healy, P. Hughes, S. P. Maher, P. O'Rourke, P. Tierney. Subs.—R. J. Matthews, P. Crean, W. J. McKeogh, J. Kennedy.

C.Y.M.S.—G. Coffey (capt.); T. Martin, P. J. Manning, R. M. Wallace, F. Patterson; J. J. Keane, J. G. Doyle; T. Noonan, T. C. Goff, W. L. Goff, J. Nolan, H. Buckley, M. Caffrey, J. Fox, Wm. Goff.

Railway Union—W. D. Redmond; R. W. Walshe, W. E. Rowlette, J. M. Glynn, H. A. Watchurn; E. Banks, J. J. Scally (captain); S. Wilkie, P. F. McMahon, J. A. Brennan, D. Banville, J. P. Finucane, H. Burchill, E. Bunyon, M. Wall. Substitute—J. K. Doran. (Meet at Amiens street Station at 1.45 p.m.)

Suttonians—W. G. Spencer; T. C. Whelan, J. J. McDowell, D. O'Sullivan, P. McConkey; M. R. Spencer (captain), P. J. Lavery; W. W. Cairns, M. S. O'Mahony, W. N. McCracken, V. Jaunsey, J. C. Malcolm, P. Caulfield, B. Griffie, A. Hughes.

Wexford Wanderers—T. E. Pierse; C. J. Sheridan, M. McGilligan, T. P. Walsh, W. Murphy; J. P. Galvin, H. J. Coffey; W. A. Hamilton, E. J. McCarthy, J. H. Moore, J. A. Pierse, G. D. Rowe, J. F. Salmon, R. G. Walsh, J. J. Whelan.

Carlow—W. Trundle; W. Fenlon, J. Lambert, J. Willis, P. Walsh; R. McConky, W. Fanning; W. T. Collier, A. Collins, T. B. Donald, W. Daggan, R. D. McDonnell, J. G. O'Connor, B. Oliver, B. C. Slocock. Substitutes—M. Carroll, G. J. Canlon, P. Hayden.

Malahide—H. S. Pembrey; D. Greer, G. Burke-Kennedy, L. Murphy, N. C. Eager; C. J. Hughes, C. E. Anderson; E. Craigie (captain), M. W. O'Brien, J. G. Murphy, L. F. Hughes, R. P. Garland, C. J. Seaver, T. J. Brangan, C. W. Johnston. Substitutes—A. S. Whieldon, O. G. Marsh.

Clontarf 2nd—W. E. Morgan; J. O'Dwyer, A. M. Lloyd, G. C. Glass, J. C. Harte; D. Young-Gibson, F. S. O'Neill; W. H. Fox, E. J. Doyle, A. Brown, R. Corcoran, K. McFerran, K. Gibson, F. J. C. McEntee, H. Towell.

"Old First" B.B.—Johnston; Ward, Turner (captain), Baldwin, G. James; Hill, Neilson; Lowry, Hogan, Dwyer, Walsh, Flynn, Maher, Orr, Murphy.

Bective Rangers 2nd—R. F. McCartan; J. J. Robinson, R. B. Sheridan, J. P. Kelly, T. E. Gleeson; J. J. Fitzsimons, A. Curtis; J. J. Cummins, G. C. Higginbotham, E. May, J. C. McGrath, M. A. McInerney, P. Powell, K. M. Power, W. P. Walker.

IRISH PLAYERS.

ON BRITISH TEAM TO TOUR AUSTRALIA.

Included in the British team to tour New Zealand and Australia during next summer are P. F. Murray (Wanderers), M. P. Crowe (Lansdowne), M. J. Dunne (Lansdowne), G. R. Beamish (R.A.F.), J. L. Farrell (Bective), and H. O'Neill (Queen's, Belfast). The team will leave London on April 11th.

SENIOR SCHOOLS CUP.

DROGHEDA G.S. (9) v. TERENURE COLLEGE (6).

It was only after extra time that the re-play in the Senior Schools' Cup between Terenure College and Drogheda Grammar School was brought to a definite issue last evening at Donnybrook, the Drogheda boys qualifying by three tries to two tries.

As in the previous match, it was a very uninteresting game, the play being of the scrambling, forward order. The interval arrived without a score. Early in the second period Ardiff barely missed a drop at goal, but a little later an opening by Ryan led to a try by Savage for Terenure. The kick at goal failed, and a few minutes afterwards O'Farrell crossed for Drogheda, equalising the points. Pike gave Drogheda the lead by scoring a try, but just before the end Rath crossed for Terenure to make the points equal.

Five minutes' time each way was then played, in the second period of which Harrison, working the blind side, scored for Drogheda from a scrum near the line.

Heatley, Lloyd, Curnow, and O'Farrell (backs), and Pike, Gerrard, Wright, and Hughes (forwards), were the most noticeable players on the Drogheda side; and for Terenure none were better than Egan, Rath, Ardiff, and Madden (backs), and McMahon, Flanagan, Reilly, and Murphy (forwards). Result:—

Drogheda G.S.—3 tries (9 points).
Terenure—2 tries (6 points).

Drogheda—F. Heatley; J. B. Lloyd, D. Curnow, W. Cummins, T. Harrison; L. Howard, N. O'Farrell; J. Hazlett, W. Pike, C. Gerrard, C. Wright, C. B. Lloyd, E. McKenzie, T. Hughes, G. Bradfield.

Terenure—T. Egan; B. Rath, W. Ardiff, E. Ryan, S. Savage; D. Fox, M. Madden; J. Kelly, J. Murphy, J. McMahon, D. Flanagan, S. Mulrooney, W. Derham, J. Reilly, P. Martin.

Referee—Mr. J. Smyth.

WANDERERS F.C.

Members are reminded that they must be in possession of club cards, in order to secure free admission to Lansdowne road ground during the cup ties. Schoolboy honorary members must present their school football cards and wear their school caps.

MINOR LEAGUE—DIVISION A.

The play off for the championship of this Division between Blackrock 3rd and Bective Rangers 3rd will take place on Wednesday next, 5th March, at the R. and S.P.U. ground, Park avenue. Kick off 4.30 p.m.

JUNIOR INTERPROVINCIAL.

LEINSTER v. ULSTER.

To be played at Lansdowne road, Dublin, Saturday, 8th March. Kick off 3 p.m.

LEINSTER TEAM.

Full-back (15)—G. Coffey (C.Y.M.S.).

Three-quarters.—Right wing (14), B. R. J. Towers (Blackrock), right centre (13), O. G. Giddings (Clontarf), left centre (12), S. V. Ballagh (Bective Rangers), left wing (11), J. H. Laing (Wanderers).

Half-backs.—Out (10), R. Buchanan (Wanderers); scrum (9), J. D. Doyle (C.Y.M.S.).

Forwards.—(1) G. A. Anketell (Lansdowne), (2) L. Harte (Dundalk), (3) S. M. A. Keogh (Birr) (capt.), (4) J. Larkin (Balbriggan), (5) M. Maguire (Longford), (6) M. McAllister (Bective Rangers), (7) P. Powell (Bective Rangers), (8) W. Wilkie (R. and S.P.U.).

HOCKEY.

SEMI-FINAL TIES OF THE IRISH CUP

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

In a varied and extremely interesting programme to-day the Irish Senior Cup semi-final will provide the principal attraction. The meetings of teams with such fine cup reputations as Banbridge and Limerick P.Y.M.A. should produce a keen struggle at Claremont road. The holders, Railway Union, will have a serious challenge from Kingstown Grammar School at Park avenue, and the recent fine victory of the School against Three Rock Rovers shows that they have run into their best form, and Railway will possibly be hard set to secure victory.

The start of the Mills Challenge Cup brings Three Rock Rovers and Pembroke Wanderers together at Foxrock, and a rousing struggle should ensue.

In the Senior League three postponed matches will be played, the principal one being the meeting of Dublin University and Monkstown in the College Park. Clontarf are playing Dalkey at The Stiles, and National Bank are travelling to play Wicklow.

Naas meet Three Rock Rovers 2nd at Naas in the Leinster final of the Irish Junior Cup.

IRISH SENIOR CUP—SEMI-FINALS.

Banbridge v. Limerick P.Y.M.A. Claremont road, 3.
Railway Union v. Kingstown Grammar School. Park avenue, 3.

IRISH JUNIOR CUP.

Naas v. Three Rock Rovers 2nd. Naas.

MILLS CUP.

Three Rock Rovers v. Pembroke Wanderers. Foxrock, 3.15.

LEINSTER SENIOR LEAGUE.

Dublin University v. Monkstown. College Park, 2.30.
Clontarf v. Dalkey. The Stiles, Clontarf, 3.0.
Wicklow v. National Bank. Wicklow, 3.45.

RAILWAY CUP.

Railway Union 2nd v. Pembroke Wanderers 2nd. Serpentine avenue, 2.15.
Kingstown Grammar School 2nd v. Portrane. Tivoli terrace.

INTERMEDIATE CUP.

Lido v. Mountjoy School. Clontarf.
Brookville v. Naas 2nd. Coolock.
Railway Union 4th v. Dublin University 3rd. Clonskeagh.

MINOR CUP.

Dalkey 3rd v. Lido 2nd. Blackrock.
St. James's Gate v. Mountjoy School 2nd. Crumlin.
Fairview C.Y.M.S. v. Dublin University 4th. Fairview.

MIDDLE LEAGUE.

Monkstown 2nd v. Dublin University 2nd. Royal terrace.

JUNIOR LEAGUE.

Pembroke Wanderers 3rd v. Imperial Tobacco Co. Serpentine avenue, 3.15.

TEAMS.

Dalkey—Anderson (capt.); Pender, L. C. Wilson; Boardman, F. Regan, G. Regan; O'Kelly, Sarratt, Kenny, Kennedy, Cobbe. ('Bus, Eden quay.)

Dalkey 3rd—Egan; Crawford, Holmes; Taylor, Duncan, F. M. Boland; Hewitt, Clarke, H. Phillipson (capt.), Hutchinson, R. Phillipson. ('Bus, Eden quay, 3.15.)

Wicklow—W. P. Roberts; R. Kent, C. A. Hopkins; E. J. H. Hopkins, N. J. McEachern, P. Ficod; D. M. O'Reilly, F. C. Gillellie, J. S. D. Kerr, Rev. A. W. F. Orr, J. H. McCarroll.

Clontarf—J. S. Prouse; F. W. Hazell, A. W. Falk; V. Sanderson, G. N. Coughlan, C. S. Brislane; H. V. Keegan, S. E. Keegan, A. J. Keegan, R. G. Perdue, G. H. Shaw. (Ballast Office, 2.15.)

Clontarf 2nd—T. Davis; R. W. Keegan, P. J. McKenna; E. A. Pearce, G. Andrews, E. Kingsnorth; G. H. McDonald, E. Davis, —. Merryweather, MacWilliam, M. H. Bell, K. Harrison, W. Magee, E. S. Archdall.

Railway Union—W. C. Leopold; K. N. Browner, M. C. O'Donoghue; J. J. Corscadden, W. Chiddick (capt.), H. W. Sully; T. C. Browner, C. Sully, W. Radd, V. G. Sully, W. E. Hennessy. (Park avenue, 2.45.)

Railway Union 2nd—W. McClelland; M. J. Doogan (capt), M. Flavin; T. Spearman, G. Erskine, J. Johnston; S. Knight, M. Morrow, Rev. F. Bennett, J. Doran, H. Knight. (Serpentine avenue, 2.0.)

Railway Union 3rd—B. O'Farrell; E. J. Short, T. Gilleran; F. Chadwick (capt.), T. McKee, J. Davis; P. Sherlock, P. Flood, V. Healy, J. Doran, W. Broad. (Y.M.C.A. ground, 4.0.)

Railway Union 4th—W. E. Crean; W. O'Gorman, M. J. Keyes; G. Ryan, A. Reynolds (capt.), C. Perkins; H. Murphy, W. Thompson, B. J. O'Conner, W. Erskine, W. Sweeney. (Clonskea, 2.45.)

Pembroke Wanderers—N. McNeill; E. E. Spence, A. O'Sullivan; E. D. Beadie, C. J. Little, K. Keane; A. G. Trapnell, S. J. Doyle, R. P. Martin (capt.), D. Allen, J. A. Stanistreet. (Foxrock, 3.15.)

Pembroke Wanderers 2nd—A. H. Crawford; W. Agar, E. J. Odlum; G. Armstrong, J. Havelin (capt.), H. A. Martin, M. R. Nolan, C. Sayers, J. Willis, W. J. Diskin, J. J. Carroll. (Serpentine avenue, 2.15 sharp.)

Pembroke Wanderers 3rd—H. Olds; A. "Full," P. Tighe; S. Dempsey, P. Kiernan, E. B. Irvine; C. Dunne, D. MacDonagh, Another, T. P. Murray, C. N. Boland. (Serpentine avenue, 3.30.)

Monkstown—V. G. Williams; J. McElveen, G. Darcus; P. B. McWeeney, E. Gray, M. P. Delamere (capt.); E. E. Donner, N. Philips, G. Tyndall, P. Brewster, J. Gray.

Monkstown 2nd—L. McNally; D. N. Horgan, J. P. Gray; C. Donner, R. Towers, N. Gilbert; L. Moran, W. J. Keane, C. White (capt.), R. McNamara, P. King.

Y.M.C.A.—C. Morgan; M. Beaton, A. Worrall (capt); R. Jones, J. Tomlin, H. Evans; J. Nimmon, Another, J. Balmer, G. McEndoo, W. Gillespie.

Mountjoy School—M. G. Richardson; D. Sullivan, H. Jordan; F. W. Blackmore (capt.), R. T. Rafter, L. G. White; D. B. Roberts, A. C. Baldwin, A. G. Simpson, R. H. Miley, S. H. Knight. Sub., R. A. Blackmore.

Mountjoy School 2nd—G. Sheppard; R. H. Arnill (capt.), W. C. O'Neill; E. J. Furlong, T. B. Webb, A. E. Wheeler; W. S. Earle, M. C. Brough, E. A. Crawford, R. A. Blackmore, H. Evans. Sub., J. Ford.

REFEREES FOR TO-DAY.

Irish Senior Cup—Railway Union v. Kingstown Grammar School (Park avenue)—Messrs. W. M'Donnell and L. Morrison.

Mills Cup—Three Rock Rovers v. Pembroke Wanderers (Foxrock)—Messrs. G. Ireland and E. Phillips.

Irish Junior Cup—Naas v. Three Rock Rovers 2nd (Naas)—Messrs. W. Twamley and D. Robinson.

Railway Cup—Railway Union 2nd v. Pembroke Wanderers 2nd (Serpentine avenue)—Messrs. C. Bruton and H. Peterson; Kingstown Grammar School 2nd v. Portrane (Tivoli terrace)—Messrs. G. Richardson and F. Hirst; Lido v. Mountjoy School (The Stiles)—Messrs. J. MacMahon and W. Mellon; Brookville v. Naas 2nd (Artane)—Messrs. A. Black and T. Seaman; Railway Union 4th v. Trinity 3rd (Clonskeagh)—Messrs. T. Maguire and G. Beard.

Minor Cup—Dalkey 3rd v. Lido 2nd (Stradbrook)—Messrs. J. Hayden and F. Bollard; St. James's Gate v. Mountjoy School (Crumlin)—Messrs. W. M'Kimm and F. Lynch; Fairview v. Trinity 4th—Messrs. T. Roberts and J. Byrne.

LEINSTER BRANCH I.H.U.

The monthly Branch Council meeting will be held on Wednesday, at 7.30, at 8 Merrion row, when all delegates should attend.

ENGLAND AND FRANCE MATCH OFF.

It was announced at a Council meeting of the Hockey Association in London yesterday that the international match between England and France, which was fixed to take place at Edgbaston on April 5, has been cancelled, and that there will be no fixture in 1931. It was stated that the match will be resumed in 1932, when France will send a team to England.

RAILWAY UNION H.C.

Selection meeting on Monday night in the Pavilion at 7.30.

LADIES' HOCKEY.

LEINSTER JUNIOR SIDE WELL BEATEN.

ULSTER .... 3 LEINSTER 1

Ulster having defeated Leinster yesterday afternoon at Monkstown ground, Merrion road, by 3 goals to 1, will meet the Munster Junior Interprovincial team to-day at 2.15 at the same place.

Yesterday's match, from a Leinster point of view, was a disappointing affair, as in the first half Leinster lost numerous opportunities of scoring through want of combined play and wild shooting. Undoubtedly, they were up against a fine goalkeeper in Miss Feeney (Queen's), who saved splendidly on many occasions. The one score they eventually obtained was when awarded a free. Miss Hartigan passed up to Miss Wallace, who sent the ball over to Miss Sheridan to shoot. Leinster attacked most of the first half, their own goal only being threatened twice.

Ulster in the second period worked better together and succeeded in equalising early on, Mrs. Towers being responsible, and the same player added another shortly after. Although Leinster pressed after this, they were unable to break through, and Ulster again scored before the final whistle, per Miss McGregor.

Ulster—Misses Feeney (Queen's); Knox (Knock), Tolland (Knock); Carmichael (Queen's), Mann (Glenbola), Pickering (Cregagh); Simpson (Knock), Jones (Queen's Island), Mrs. Towers (North-West), Misses McGregor (Knockmore) and (Porter (Derry).

Leinster—Misses Wright (Alexandra College III.); Wadsworth (Monkstown), Lennon (Pembroke Wanderers); Smith (Optimists), Hartigan (Grangegorman), Coulson (Newcomes); Peacocke (Optimists), Harris (Newcomes), Sheridan (Newcomes), Wallace (Trinity), O'Mahoney (Optimists).

Umpires—Miss O'Flaherty (Leinster), Miss Brandon (Ulster).

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

INTERNATIONAL MATCH AT NEATH.

INTERNATIONAL—Wales v. Ireland, at Neath.

Junior Interprovincial—Ulster v. Munster, Merrion road, 2.15.

Peat Cup—Maids of the Mountain 4th v. Old Rutland, Claremont avenue, 2.30.

Intermediate Badge, semi-final—Old College 2nd v. Pembroke Wanderers 2nd, Sydney Parade, 3.0.

Senior Matches—Old College v. Dublin University, Park avenue, 2.30; Monkstown v. Optimists, Merrion, 4.0; Maids v. U.C.D., Blackrock.

Intermediate I.—Muckross 3rd v. Grangegorman 2nd, Connaught street, 2.30; Maids 3rd v. Dublin University 3rd, Blackrock; Civil Service v. Newcomes, Temple Hill, 2.30.

Intermediate A—Shielmartin v. Old College 2nd, Sutton, 3.15; Grangegorman v. Criterion, Oaklands Park, 3.0; National Bank 2nd v. Dublin University 2nd, Dartry, 3.30.

Middle I.—Bray 2nd v. Maids 4th, Shankill, 2.30.

Middle A—Kildare place v. Optimists 3rd; Monkstown 3rd v. Criterian 2nd.

Junior I.—Annadale 2nd v. St. Moibhis; Brookville v. Clontarf; Imp. Ambers v. Kildare place, Crumlin; Newcomes 3rd A v. Imp. Willmounts, Crumlin, 3.

Junior A—Dublin University 4th v. Muckross 4th, Herbert Park; Old Rutland 2nd v. Old Wesley 2nd, Glasnevin, 2.30; National Bank 3rd v. Imp. Ambers, Crumlin, 3.0; Newcomes 3rd v. Imp. Blues, Temple Hill, 3.30; Shielmartin 2nd v. Bray 2nd, Loughlinstown, 3.30.

Minor I.—Dublin University 4th A v. Criterion 3rd, Dartry, 2.30; Annadale 4th v. St. Moibhis 2nd; Muckross 4th v. Imp. Willmounts 2nd, Crumlin, 3.0.

Minor A—Kenmare College 2nd v. Brookville 2nd, Brookville, 2.30.

Club Match—Newcomes 2nd v. Girl Guides 2nd.

TEAMS.

IRELAND—Miss B. Rodden; Mrs. Chartres, Misses Corkery; Mulligan, Wishart, Hanna; Robinson, Cowan, Mrs. Blake, Misses Cummins and Kirkwood.

WALES—Misses Jones (North Wales); Lawrence (South), Orsman (South); Tupholme (North), Jazes (South), Coodwin (North); Davis (South), Lockley (South), Harroes (North), Davies (North) and Roberts (North).

Munster Juniors—Misses D. Brown (Newtown School); E. Nicholson (Mogeely), H. Tracy (Ashton); N. Blair (Old Rochelle), L. Chambers (Newtown School), J. Creagh (Mallow); M. Dwyer (Cork), M. Lawton (U.C.B.), I. Palmer (Rochelle School), J. Burns (do.), J. Dale (do.).

Old Wesley 2nd A—Misses O. Travers; L. Pickering, C. Bourns; N. M'Connell, Young, P. Olhausen; K. Booth, N. Leonard, F. Hurse, N. Attwooll (capt.) and Peatt.

Old Wesley 2nd B—Misses G. Gurd; L. Lee, M. O'Connor; J. Lee, M. Joyce (capt.), D. Smith; O. Gill, Latchford, P. Jackson, B. M'Neice and E. Hoy.

Old Rutland—Misses G. Polson; L. Greene, M. Watts; V. Smith, E. M'Grath, S. Dunwoody (capt.); A. Shaw, G. Potts, I. Fleming, I. Ferguson, E. Spencer.

Old Rutland 2nd—Misses D. Dunwoody; D. Milligan, B. M'Grath; A. W. Nolan, P. Giddings, N. Cowle; P. Williamson, E. Wilkinson, H. Freeman, W. Smith, E. Shaw.

Monkstown—Miss Shannon; Mrs. Maingay, Misses Wadsworth; Aykroyd, Fox, Dilworth; Fitzpatrick, White, MacMunn, Crofton, Mathews. (4 o'clock Merrion road.)

Monkstown 2nd—Miss Kennedy; Mrs. O'Dea, Misses Cooper; Hudson, Molloy, Mrs. Power; Misses Delaney, MacHugh, Barrett, Armstrong, Harrington. (Glengara Park 3 o'clock.)

Monkstown 3rd—Misses Braddell; Buggy,

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BOXING.

DECISION UPHELD.

COMMISSION STANDS BY THE REFEREE.

(PRESS ASSOCIATION FOREIGN SPECIAL.)

MIAMI, Friday.

The referee's action in declaring Sharkey the winner of last night's fight and refusing to allow Scott the foul has been formally upheld by the Miami Boxing Commission.

On learning of the unsatisfactory ending of the fight, Mr. Jeff Dickson, the promoter, offered to re-stage the contest in London, and to pay the same purses and expenses as were received by the principals in the Miami match.

"I have heard," said Mr. Dickson, "that there is a great deal of dissatisfaction concerning the result of the fight. From what I can gather, there was a foul, and, knowing Americans as I do, they do not, I think, want a foreign boxer to be the world's champion. I am cabling to Scott and Sharkey offering similar purses and expenses for a return contest in London, and I am ready to stage the fight at any time and on any date.

"If Scott maintains that he has been fouled he will want another fight, and if Sharkey maintains that he has fairly won he will not mind meeting Scott again."

A New York message says:—

Among some of the spectators there is a willingness to allow that Scott was hit low, but back in the cheaper seats there were jeers and catcalls as Scott was carried from the ring.

It must also be admitted that these hostile demonstrators carry with them a certain reflection on the Briton's sportsmanship, in the sense expressed by one of America's leading writers on boxing, who said to the Press Association's representative, "There is no doubt whatever that Scott was fouled, but he seems to me to have cried 'wolf' so often that finally he got what he deserved."

BLOW ON THE THIGH.

MAGNOLIA ADMITS LOW HIT.

MIAMI, Friday.

Lou Magnolia has made the following statement in reply to criticisms of his refereeing in last night's "big fight," which has already become known as one of the most shocking fiascos in the history of pugilism.—

"When Scott went down," he says, "following a blow on the thigh, which, in my opinion, was not sufficient to warrant disqualification (of Sharkey), I immediately had in mind a distinct understanding reached at Johnston's insistence, that Scott should not be called the victor on a foul. Thereupon, in order to carry out the letter of his own agreement, I ordered Scott into his corner and informed Johnston that he could have the doctor examine his man. I told Johnston that Scott would have to continue or lose the fight, and Scott agreed to carry on after a short rest."

GARLAND'S APPEAL DISMISSED.

The Stewards of the British Boxing Board of Control have upheld the appeal of Mr. Joe Morris against the decision of the Board that Teddy Baldock, the British bantam-weight champion, should defend his title against Kid Pattenden, and accept the purse of £1,000 offered by Premierland. The Stewards decided that the purse offer was inadequate.

It was also decided, after hearing Jack Garland's appeal, that that of Mr. Ted Lewis, on behalf of Ginger Jones, be allowed, and that no further contest between Jones and Garland in the light-weight championship eliminating series shall take place.

LAWN TENNIS.

BRITISH PAIR'S FINE WIN AT MONTE CARLO.

MONTE CARLO, Friday.

In the semi-finals for the Butler Trophy to-day, C. H. Kingsley and H. W. Austin defeated H. Cochet and J. Brugnon in five sets—6-3, 6-2, 5-7, 5-7, 8-6.

The game produced some brilliant tennis in which the steadier British pair quite outplayed their somewhat erratic opponents. Brugnon's service was bad, and he served twelve double faults during the match. Austin played at the top of his form, his overhead work, particularly, showing great improvement. Kingsley also played splendidly, and he scored several service aces.

In the other semi-final W. T. Tilden and W. F. Coen beat R. de Buzelet and C. Boussus—6-4, 5-7, 6-3, 6-4.

CHESS.

THE ARMSTRONG CUP.

In their return match with the cupholders, the University College players failed to reproduce their form in the previous encounter, when they put up the fine score of 3½ to 4½. Mr. McHugh played, as he generally does, a sound game; but the others were genuinely outplayed, except Mr. Gerrard, who made a draw with the Irish champion. The scores were:—

SACKVILLE.		UNIV. COLLEGE.	
P. Baker	½	J. T. Gerrard	½
T. P. Kane	1	F. Kerlin	0
C. J. Barry	1	Dr. McGarry	0
H. N. Bowesman	1	M. O'Sullivan	0
T. A. V. Haynes	1	J. O'Sullivan	0
R. Clarke	0	T. McHugh	1
J. N. Halbert	1	T. O'Nolan	0
G. R. Haynes	1	— Fitzgerald	0
Total	6½	Total	1½

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Collier; Ashworth, O'Kelly, U. Nowlan; J. Armstrong, Mackey, Oakes, Henson, Mrs. Archer. (Oaklands Park, Ballsbridge, 2.30.)

Newcomes 2nd—Misses White; Harper, O'Kelly; Mrs. Rumney, Misses Cody, Robinson; another, Robinson, Coulson, Coldwell, Harris.

Old College 3rd—Misses Evans; Murphy, Donaldson; Winder, Miles, Morton; Harris, Joynt, Draper, K. Porter, Maddock.

Old College 4th—Misses Conlan; Stanfield, Walker; Loughridge, Humphreys, Stevens; L. Walmesley, Kidd, Dixon, Armstrong, M. Walmesley.

Antiquity 2nd—Misses Kane; Langley, Reed; Lowe, Prior, Purdon; M'Neill, Whitten, Reed, Law, Dalton. (Meet Burgh quay 3 o'clock.)

St. George's—Misses Rutledge; Fennah, Osborne; Ebbs, Galwell (capt.), Stone; Mahon, Beck, N. Fennah, Holley, Smith.

St. George's 2nd—Misses Patton; Mahon, Dickenson; Gainfort, Dunne, Phelan; Leeson, Baldwin, Reck (capt.), Nolan, Donovan.

Maids 4th—Misses E. Murphy; B. Creswell, J. Rogers; H. Winslow, N. Gamble, S. Maxwell; R. Wallace, B. Davidson (capt.), M. Marnan, E. Davy, B. Darley.

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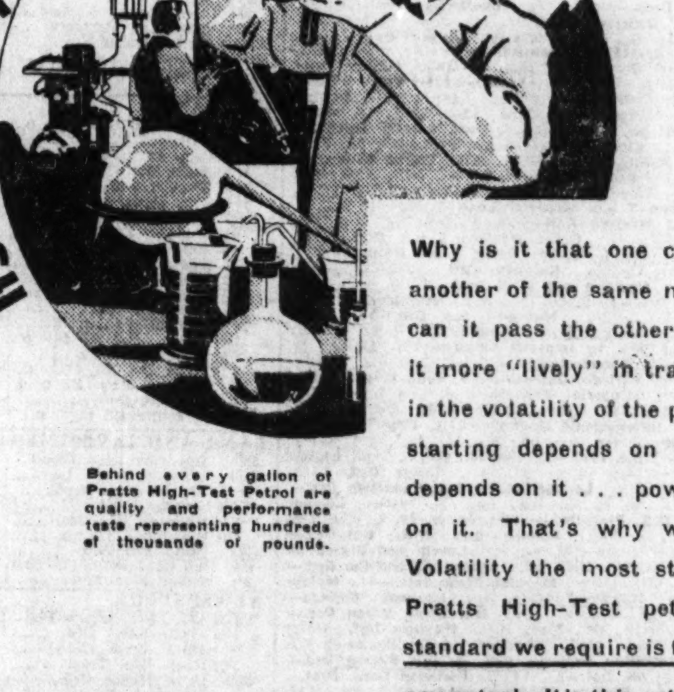

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN UNDER SETTLEMENT INFLUENCES.

COURTAULDS BETTER.

The week-end and end of the account market yesterday presented some erratic features closely associated with current adjustments, usual on the last regular dealing days of each settlement. The Funds, British as well as local, maintained recent enhanced prices. Corporation issues were steady, but in Banking securities Nationals gave way on a selling order, and Provincials were on offer. Support for Guinness Ordinary was well sustained at an advance, and Dublin Distillers "A" 5s. shares were bought at 3s. 6d. Some inquiry for Cables, etc., was made, but no stock was obtainable. There was limited dealing in Home Rails, without much altering prices on balance, but the general market was firm. The demand for Dublin United Tram Ordinary and Preference was again persistent at a fresh recovery. Crowe Wilson Ordinary and Preference were higher. Parent Trusts were wanted about recent reduced quotations, especially the Preference and Deferred shares. Alliance Gas closed quiet. Courtaulds were rather keenly bid for and finished higher. The annual accounts reached Dublin yesterday morning. Selling pressure for the settlement was shown for both Dunlop Rubbers and Imperial Chemical shares at lower prices. Shell Transports were disposed to recover from recent weakness, but Irish-American Oil Preference were on sale at a concession. Bolands closed harder. Dockrell Ordinary shares were in good demand, but did not offer under a fresh advance of 3s. a share. Imperial Tobaccos were easier. H. Williams were strong, but did not offer under a big advance.

LONDON QUIET.

FORD MOTORS FIRM.

Principal attention in the London Stock Markets yesterday was directed to the preliminary arrangements in connection with Monday's carry-over, and, as a consequence, dealings suffered to a certain extent, and dull spots were apparent in several directions. There were, however, a few outstanding features of strength, and among these Ford Motors jumped forward smartly following the report, while Cables rallied sharply, it being thought that the fall in values has been overdone. Quiet conditions ruled in the Gilt-edged section, and after opening steady a somewhat easier tendency developed. The closing rates, however, showed little change. Foreign Government Stocks remained slack. There was also little going on in Home Rails, and here again movements were few and far between. North-Easterns, however, displayed an easier front. A feature among Colonial and Foreign Rails was a further sharp drop in United Havana. The Buenos Ayres issues, however, stiffened the turn, and others were not materially altered.

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE.

FUNDS STEADY. BANKS DULL. GUINNESS SCARCE. DUNLOPS AND CHEMICALS LOWER. WILLIAMS SHARES STRONG.

Government National 5 per cent. Sterling repeated 100, do. 5 per cent. Second Loan 99⅞, and Land Bonds 4½ per cent. 91, while do., with interest from next gale, closed 88 bid.

In British Funds, War Loan 5 per cent. finished 1/16 harder at 102¼, 3/16, ⅛, and Conversion 3½ per cent. rose ¼ to 75⅜ x.d., but Consols fell ¼ to 53¾.

In Banks, Nationals fell back 1s. 3d. to 44s., after dealing at 45s., 4s. 6d., 4s. 3d., but Hibernians repeated 10½ and Munster and Leinsters 5⅝. Provincials closed ½ lower at 26 to 26½ nominally.

In Breweries, etc., Guinness Ord. rose 6d. to 99s., and Dublin Distillers "A" 5s. shares changed hands at 3s. 6d.

Among Rails, Great Southern Pref. rose ½ to 39½, but the Debs. fell ¼ to 57½, and the Guaranteed repeated 47½. Great Northern Guaranteed fell ⅛ to 54⅜, and the Prefs. were sellers at 47⅞, but the Debs. closed 1/16 better at 61⅛ to 62¼ nominally.

Dublin United Tram Ord. were a further 2s. 6d. higher at 55s., and the Pref. were bid 2s. 6d. higher at 97s. 6d. without getting a share.

In Drapery shares, Arnott Pref. repeated 71s., Crowe Wilson Ord. hardened up about 1s. to 3s. 6d., 4s. 3d., and the Pref. 6d. to 9s. bid.

Among Manufacturing shares, Courtaulds recovered 9d. to 47s. 9d., but Dunlop Rubber Ord. fell 5d. to 12s., and Imperial Chemicals 9d. to 25s., 24s. 9d., while the Deferred repeated 8s. Imperial Tobaccos weakened 4½d to 93s.

In Trading, etc., Burke Pref. repeated 58s. Dockrell Ord. were scarce and closed 1s. 6d. higher at 10s., 13s., and H. Williams Ord. were fully 8s. 6d. higher at 66s. to 75s. x.d. nominally. Shell Transports rallied 6d. to 90s. 10½d., and the 7 per cent. Second Pref. realised 24s. 9d., but Irish-American Oil Pref. closed on offer at 21s. 6d., or 6d. under last marking. Lafayette Pref. were bid for ineffectually at 50s.

Other business done included: International Nickel realise $40½-40. Independent Newspaper Pref. at 19s. and War Loan 5 per cent. Bonds at 101¼.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

Nat. Loan (100)	100	Arnott Pref. (71/-)	71/-
Second Loan (98¾)	98¾	Crowe Ord. (3/-)	3/6b 4/3a
Land Bonds (91)	91	Do. Pref. (8/6)	9/-b
Consols (54)	53¾	Courtaulds (47/-)	47/9
5% War Loan (102⅛)	102¼ ⅛ ¼	Chemicals (25/6)	25/- 4/9
Do. Bonds	101¼	Do. Def. (8/-)	8/-
Conver. Loan (75½)	75⅜	Dunlops (12/5)	12/-
Hibernian Bk. (10½)	10½	Imp. Tobac. (93/4½)	93/-
Mun. & Lein. (5½)	5½	Matterson Pref. (47/6)	50/-b
National (45/3)	45/- 4/6 4/3 4/-	Burke Pref. (58/-)	*58/-
Provincial (26½)	26b 26½a	Thom Ord. (19/6)	20/-b 22/-a
Guinness (98/6)	99/-	Dockrell Ord. (10/-)	10/-b 13/-a
Power Pf. (12/7½)	12/9a	Irish-American Oil (22/-)	21/6a
G.N. Pref. (47½)	47½a	Shells (90/4½)	90/10½
Do. Guar. (54¼)	54⅜	Do. 7% Pref.	24/9
Do. Deb. (61¼)	61½b 62½a	Irish Times 5¼% (66/-)	66/6a
G.S. Ord. (17½)	17b 18a	Do. 6½% (14/6)	14/3b
Do. Pref. (39)	39½	Dublin Distill. A	*3/6
Do. Guar. (47½)	47½	Inter. Nickel $40¼	40
Do. Deb. (57½)	57½	Independent Pref.	19/-
Dub. Trams (52/6)	55/-		
Do. Pref. (95/-)	97/6b		
Alliance Gas (9⅝)	9⅞b 9⅜a		

* Odd lot. a asked. b bid. c cash.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Irish Banks' Rate (Feb. 6, 1930)	5½%
Loans on Government Stocks transferred	4½%
Deposits under £500	2%
Deposits of £500 and over	2½%

The rates in the foregoing table are subject to variation.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango	March 3	March 17
Ticket	March 4	March 18
Intermediate	March 5	March 19
Account day	March 6	March 20

BELFAST.

Belfast Exchange closed weak, with firm tone. War Fives changed hands at 102 3/16, 102 1/16, 102, 102⅛; Consols 2½ p.c., 54¼, and Conversion 3½ p.c. stock at 75¼. Nelson Steam Guaranteed Debs. fetched 94. In Banks, Westminster partly-paid shares were done at 76s. Belfast Corporation 6¼ Mortgage (1941) fetched 102 for a small lot. There was little movement in Industrials. J. and P. Coats fetched 64s. 7½d., Inglis Ord. 98s. Small lots of Dunlops fetched 12s. and 12s. 1½d. International Nickels were done at 40, and Anglo-Persian 9 p.c. Pref. 28s. 3d.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Market again dominated by Austins, Ordinary and Preferred being extensively bought. Leylands still dull. Guys firmer. Fresh weakness in Dunlops. Austins 15/9, do. Preferred 12/-, do. "B" Preference 17/10½; Bluemels, 39/-; Dennis, 39/6; Enfields, 22/9; Guys, 16/-; Humbers, 15/6; Leylands, 56/-; Lucas, 76/6; Maudslays, 17/-; Napiers, 42/6; Rolls-Royce, 44/9; Rovers, 7/6; Singers, 26/3; S.T.D., 3/9; Standards, 11/6; Triumphs, 12/-; Dunlops, 11/7½.

MANCHESTER.—Bleachers drop a shade below par. Bleachers, 19/9-20/-; Calicos, 13/-13/6; Bradford Dyers, 25/9-26/-; Sewing Cottons, 37/6-38/6; Fine Spinners, 24/9-26/-; "Stablers," 5/-5/6; Coats, 64/-65/-; Velvets, 20/6-21/6; Courtaulds, 46/6-47/-; Dunlops, 11/6-12/-; Turner and Newall, 77/-78/-; Dobson and Barlow, 13/-14/-; Nuera Silk 2/6, do. Def. 2/-.

INDUSTRIAL MARKET.

CABLES AND WIRELESS RALLY.

DUNLOPS LOWER.

Although there was still a certain amount of hesitation in places, the Industrial Market finished the week with a fairly steady appearance. The best feature was a smart rally in cables and Wireless stocks, due largely to "bear" closing on the theory that the fall has been overdone.

Most of the interest in the Motor section turned to Fords, which, on the publication of the annual report, finished a strong market with an advance of 1/16 at 3¼. Austin issues continued active, the Ord. further improving to 16s. 3d., the 20 per cent. Preferred Ord. closing at 12s. and the "B" Pref. at 17s. 6d.

Electricals proved easier, but movements were slight. Coal and Engineering descriptions seemed undecided.

Nickels changed hands freely up to 40¾, and finished buyers in the "Street" at 40⅝, with the rest of the trans-Atlantic issues firm. A distinct turn for the better was seen in Cables and Wireless Junior stocks, the "A" Ord. improving to the extent of 5 to 60 and the "B" Ord. 4 to 28, with the Pref. buyers at 94½. Radio Corporations were well maintained at 49¾, and a further rise of 1/16 to 1¼ was recorded in Canadian Marconis.

Of the "Record" leaders, Columbia Graphophones strengthened ⅛ to 6 1/16, but H.M.V.'s sagged to 4.

Little disposition was shown to support prices in the Art Silk and Textile sections. American Celanese Common reacted to the extent of ⅜ to 5¼, with Courtaulds on offer at 2 11/32.

As regards Textiles, there was hardly sufficient business passing to really test quotations, and all the leading shares close without variation

Margarine Unions and Unies again shed 1/32 to 3 5/32, after a very moderate turnover. Home and Colonials continued active, but finished without variation at 16s. 3d.

Breweries remained out of favour. Threlfalls weakened to 2 5/16, with Benskins on offer at 31s. 3d., Distillers at 63s. 3d., and Guinness at 98s. 6d. The Tobacco leaders generally were allowed to droop. Insurance and Banking issues had a dull appearance.

Among Shipping descriptions, Furness Withys were scaled down 6d. further to 33s. 6d., and White Star Prefs. finished slightly easier at 10s. Cunards and P. and O. Def. both held at the overnight levels, and the Royal Mail issues were without variation at the close.

In the Miscellaneous section, Dunlops reflected renewed fears regarding the final dividend, and the shares were depressed to 11s. 7½d., closing at that level with a loss of 7½d. on the day. Imperial Chemicals sagged to 24s. 10½d. in the later dealings, and the Def. lost the turn at 7s. 10½d. United Molasses were offered from provincial centres, and shed ⅛ to 4⅞. Kreuger and Toll were maintained at 29½, and Swedish Match "B" put on ⅛ to 16⅝.

OIL SHARES DULL.

The easier tendency which developed in the Oil Share Market towards the close on Thursday continued in evidence yesterday End of the account liquidation was encountered from the provinces, and International Counters also suffered to some extent from sales on Paris account. As a general rule, the shares offered came on an unwilling market, and although they were for the most part taken it was only at the expense of a lowering of quotations. The news that the list of subscriptions to the issue of 7 p.c. Second Pref. shares in the "Shell" had been closed on Thursday afternoon failed to help the market in the shares, for the reason that the official notification does not make it clear whether or not the issue has been fully subscribed. The easier tendency in the Eagle issues was due mainly to selling from Paris. Apart from Tocuyo, Vens. were dull. Dulness in V.O.C. Holdings was attributable to the report from New York to the effect that the Royal Dutch-Shell group is disposed to cut Venezuelan output. The Royal-Dutch Shell group is the largest producer of oil in Venezuela, but, of course, unless other big operators are prepared to co-operate it is unlikely that any action will be taken.

RUBBER SHARES DULL.

Idle conditions again prevailed in the Rubber Share section, and, with raw material values going off still further, share values were sympathetically affected. As mentioned, easier conditions characterised the commodity market. Spot and March sold from 7 13/16d. to 7⅝d. per lb. London stocks of the raw material will, it is anticipated, show an increase of some fourteen hundred tons on Monday next. Liverpool stocks are also expected to show a substantial increase.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—54, 1/16, ⅛, ⅜, 15/16, 15/16. **5 p.c. War Loan**—102, 1/32, 1/16, 3/32, 1 5/16, *2⅛, 5/32, *3/32. **4 p.c. War Loan**—102, ⅛, 9/16, ¾. **Funding Loan**—87⅜, 13/16, ½, 11/16, ⅞, 9/16, ¾. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.** (x.d.)—75⅜, ¼, 5/16, 3/32, 5/16, 11/32. **5 p.c. Conversion Loan "A"**—101⅛, 1/16, 3/16, 3/32, 1; ditto issued on payment—101⅞, 27/32, 13/16, 25/32. **4 p.c. Consols**—83⅝, ¾, 11/16, 25/32, 21/32, 9/16. **4½ p.c. Treasury Bonds**—99⅝, ½, 9/16, 17/32, ⅝. **Australia 5 p.c. Stock**—91, 90⅞, ¾, ½. **Aerated Bread**—17/3, 9d., 6d. **African and Eastern**—17/3, 9d., 6d. **Allied Newspapers Ord.**—24/6, 3/9, 4/3. **Amalgamated Press**—20/7½, 9d., 6d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—33/7½. **Associated Cement**—24/-, 4½d., 3d. **Associated Newspapers Def.**—26/6, 3d., 5/-, 3¾d., 7½d., 4/4½, 10½d., 5/9. **Baird Television**—3/-, 3d., 2/10½d. **Bovril Def.** (x.d.)—37/9. **Brazilian Traction**—38, 7⅞, ¾, *⅞, ⅝, *8, *3/16, 7 13/16. **British American Tobacco**—5 19/32, ⅝, 17/32, £5 11/-, 5 9/16. **British American Tobacco 6 per cent. 2nd Pref.**—*22/3, 9d., 4½d., *4½d., 6d. **British Celanese**—13/5¼. **British Match Ord.**—25/1½. **British Oil and Cake**—32/6, 1/9. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—93¾, 4¼, ½, ⅜, ¾. **Cables and Wireless "A" Ord.**—55¾, 6¼, ⅛, ½, 7½, 6, 7, 9, *8¾, 5½, *9, ¾, 8⅝, ½, ¼; ditto "B" Ord.—26½, 7, 8, 5, 6, *8½, ½, 7½, ¾, *6½, *9, 5½, 7¼; ditto 5½ per cent. Pref.—95, 4¾, 5½, ¾, 4, ¼, ½, *½. **Calico Printers**—13/-. **Canadian Pacific**—213¾, 14, ¼, 13½, *½. **Central Argentine Cons.**—79, *8, ¾. **Coats**—64/-, 6d., 3/10½, 4/3. **Courtaulds**—47/2¼, 6d., 9¾d., 8/1½, 6/3, 10½d., 9d., 7/3. **Crosse and Blackwell**—2/-, 2¼d., 3d. **Crystalate Gramophone**—3/10½, 4/-, 3/9¾. **Cunard Ord.**—21/6, 7½d. **"Daily Mail" Trust**—59/4½, 60/-, *60/-, 58/1½, 9/8¼, 8/9. **"Daily Mirror" Ord.**—21/-, 3d., 6d., 1½d., 20/9. **Dunlop Ord.**—*12/0¾, 4½d., 1½d., 11/9, 8¼d., 6d. **Dunlop 6 p.c. Debs.**—101. **East Asiatic Rubber**—2/2¼. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—5/-, 6d. **English Sewing Cotton**—37/6. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—*24/3. **Ford Motors**—59/6, 8/-, 60/-, 59/-, 8/9, 9/4½, *7½d., 7/6. **Gallaher Pref.**—20/7½, 1/1½. **German 7 p.c. External Loan**—105¼, ½, 9/16, ¾. **Great Western Rail**—90⅝, 1, 90¾, ⅞, 11/16, 1⅛, ¼, 90⅜, ½. **Great Western 5 p.c. Pref.**—91¼, *¼, ⅞, ½, 1, ¾, ⅜. **Greek 7 p.c. Refugee**—102, ¼, 1½, ⅞, ¾. **Guinness Ord.** (x.d.)—99/-, 8/6, 7½d. **Harland and Wolff Pref.**—8/7½, 9/-. **Harrods Ord.**—66/9, 6d., 7/-, 6/3. **Highlands Rubber**—31/3, 30/3¾. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—81/3, 2/6, 80/-, 7½d., 1/10½, 1/-. **Hungarian 7½ p.c.**—100¾, ⅞, ⅝, *1 3/16, ½. **Imperial Airways**—22/-, 1½d., 1/6. **Imperial Chemical Ord.**—25/1½, 3d., 5/-, 4/10½, *5/1½, 4/9; do. Def.—8/-, 7/9, *9d., 10½d., 8/1½, 7/11¼. **Imperial Tobacco** (x.d. and b.)—93/1½, 9d., 6d., *9d., 7½d., *2/6, *4/4½, 2/6, 3/-, 2/9, 4/-. **International Holdings**—5 1/16, 4 15/16. **Inveresk Paper**—*7/4½, 8/6, 9d., 8/-, 3d., *8/-, 7/6, 8/1½. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—22/9¾, 9d., 10½d., 7½d. **Lipton Ord.**—4/1½, *3/6, *9d., 4/-. **Lister Ord.**—14/3, 11½d., 13/9. **London, Midland and Scottish Ord.**—*51¾, ½, ⅝, ⅜, 11/16, 5/16, 7/16, *49¼. **London and N.E. Pref.-Ord.**—*34⅜, ¾, ⅜, ½, ⅞, *¾, *⅜, *13/16, ¼, *1⅞. **London and N.E. Def.-Ord.**—10⅜, *⅜, ⅜, *⅝, ¼, ½. **Lovell and Christmas Ord.**—20/7½, 19/9, 6d. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—96/-, 3d., 5/7½. **Machine Made Sales**—4/-. **Malayalam Rubber**—*24/7½, 5/-. **Marconi Canada**—25/-, 3d., 4/3, 6/-, 3d. **Margarine Union Ord.**—65/-, 7½d., 6d., 3¾d., 3/9. **Maypole Def.**—5/5¼, 7½d., 6d., 4½d. **Metronole Gramophones**—2/8¼. **Metropolitan Rail**—65, 4¾, ⅞, ½. **Parent Ord.**—1/7½; do. Def.—2/-, *1/3. **Peruvian Corp. Pref.**—52, 3. **Phillips (Godfrey) Ord.**—22/6, 9d., 1/3, 3/-. **Prov. Cinema Theatres**—15/7½, 6d., 4½d. **Roan Antelope**—29/0¾, 8/9. **Rubber Trust**—*36/6, 7/-, 3d., 6/10½. **Selfridge Trust**—*19/6. **Southern Rail Pref.-Ord.**—73, ⅜, 3⅝, *70¾; do. Def.-Ord.—31, ⅛, 1/16, 30⅞, *28⅞, *31 3/16. **Sudan Plantations**—62/9¾, 6d. **Sunday Pictorial Ord.**—56/6, 3d., 7/6. **Swedish Match "B."**—16 11/16, 9/16, 17/32, *½, ⅝. **Tobacco Securities Ord.**—315, 8, 6, 25; do. Def.—475, 6, *70, *5, *60. **Underground Income Bonds**—106¾, 7½. **Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.**—19/10½, 9d., 20/1½. **United Dairies**—31/3, 6d., 11½d. **United of Havana Rail**—19. **United Molasses**—100/7½, 98/9, 9/4½, *7/6, 8/1½, 6/3, *8/9. **Utd. Premier Oil and Cake Ord.**—3/-. **United Serdang Rubber**—3/10½, 4/-. **Vickers**—7/8¼, *10d., 6¾d. **Vina Products**—9/3. **Watney Combe Def.**—52/3, 9d. **Westminster Bank**—76/4½, 3d., 8/9, 6/1½, *4/9, 5/6.

*Exceptional bargain at special price.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Alliance, 17⅛, ⅝; Atlas, 12⅛; Commercial Union, 23⅛, 23 5/16, 3 1/16; General Accident, 14, 13¾, ⅞, 15/16; Guardian, 9⅝, 23/32; London and Lancashire Fire, 26⅝; North British and Mercantile, 32⅝, ¼; Northern, 15⅝; Phoenix £1 (fully paid), 13 13/16; Prudential, 21 15/16, ⅞, 2; do. "B" £1 (4/- paid) 37/6, 8/-, 6d.; Royal Exchange, £6 19/6, £5 19/-; Royal Insurance, 7⅝, ¾, 23/32, 11/16; Sun Life, 53¼; Yorkshire, £6 0/3, 6 1/16, 5 15/16.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Atlas Assurance, 12; Commercial Union, 22⅞; Employers' Liability, 72/-; London and Lancashire Insurance, 26 11/16; Phoenix Assurance, 400001, etc., 13⅞; Prudential Assurance, 21 15/16; Royal Exchange Assurance, 5 15/16; Royal Insurance, 7 25/32, ¾, 15/16; Yorkshire Insurance, 121/9.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

—	Closing.		Rise or fall.
Consols 2½%	53½	54½	
Do. 4%	83½	84	
War Loan 4½%	95	96	
Do. 5%	101¾	102¼	
Do. 4%	101½	102	
Funding Loan	87½	88½	
Victory Bonds	92	93*	
3½% Conversion Loan	75⅛	75⅜*	
4½% Conversion Loan	95	96	
5% Conversion Loan	100 15/16	101 1/16	-⅛
Irish Land 2¾%	56	58	
India 3%	50	53	
Do. 3½%	58	61	
Do. 4½%	80	83	
Do. 5½%	99	100	
Local Loans	62	63	
Sudan 5½%	105	107	

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Con. 5 p.c.	89	92	
Do. do. 6 p.c.	97	100*	
British Columbia 4½ p.c. 1941	92	94	
Canada 4 p.c., 1940-60	87	89	
Cape 3½ p.c. Cons.	80	82	
Ceylon 6 p.c.	103	105	
N.S.W. 5 p.c., 1945-65	87	90	
Do. 6½ p.c., 1930-40	98	101	
New Zealand 5 p.c., 1946	99	101	
Nigeria 6 p.c.	111	113	
Queensland 5 p.c., 1940-60	88	91	
South African 5 p.c., 1933-43	99	101	
Do. 6 p.c.	100	102	
South Australian 5 p.c., 1932-42	89	92	
Do. 6½ p.c.	98	101	
Victoria 5 p.c. 1932-42	89	92	
Do. 5 p.c., 1945-75	86	89	
Western Australian 5 p.c., 1935-45	89	92	+1
Do. 6 p.c., 1930-40	96	99	

BANKS.

Anglo-South American	6¼	6½	-1/16
Bank of Australasia	11¾	12¼	
Bank of England	247	252	
Bank of Montreal	62	65	
Bank of New South Wales	36	39*	
Bank of New Zealand	54/0	56/0	-0/6
Barclay's "A" Shares	7 15/16	8 1/16	
British Overseas	5¼	5½	
Canadian of Commerce	52½	55½	-½
Chartered of India	16	17	
Hong Kong and Shanghai	111	115	-1½
Lloyds	59/6	63/6	
Martins (£1)	7 1/16	7 5/16	-1/16
Midland	9	9¼	-1/16
National Discount "B"	9⅛	9⅝	
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	13	13¼	
Royal of Canada	62	65	
Standard of South Africa	14⅛	14⅝	-⅛
Union of Australia	10	11	-¼
Westminster Bank (£1)	75/3	76/3	-0/6

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—Feb. 17.				
103	Austrian 6 p.c. Guar.	102	104	
110½	Belgian 7 p.c.	109	111	
81½	Brazil 6½ p.c. S. Bds. '27	81	83	
86	Do. Funding, 1908	95	97	
75	Do. 5 p.c. do. 1914	76	78	
99	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	98	100	
83¾	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	82	84	
49¼	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	47	49	
61¾	Do. 5 p.c. Reorg. 913	61	63	
70½	Do. Imp. Ry 5 p.c. Gld.	69	72*	
112	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	111	113	
78¼	Egyptian Unified	76½	78½	
20¼	French Loan 5 p.c.	20⅛	20⅝*	
20	Do. 4 p.c.	19¾	20¼	
105¼	German 7 p.c.	105	107	
101¾	Greek 7 p.c.	101	103	
17¾	Italian Rentes	17	19*	
99	Japan 4 p.c. 1905	98	100	
22	Mexican 5 p.c. '99	18	20	
27½	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas	27	29	
11¾	Peruvian Corporation	11	12	
53½	Do. Pref.	52	54	
100½	Do. Deb.	99	101	
90½	Poland 7 p.c. Sterling	89½	91½	
42¼	Portuguese 3 p.c.	42	44	+½
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	62	67	
14½	Turkish Unified	13½	14½	
	Ex Arrear Coups.	39	41	

BRITISH RAILS.

91½	Great Western	90½	91½	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	91	93	
52	Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord	51	52	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	69½	71½	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	92½	94½	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref. 1923	67½	69½	
33	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	34	35	-½
11⅛	Do. Def. Ord.	10¼	10¾	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	67	69	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	59½	61½	-½
64	Metropolitan	64½	65½	+½
74½	Do. District	74	75	
73	Southern Pref. Ord.	72½	73½	
30¾	Do. Def. Ord.	30½	31½	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	89	91	
23/3	Underground Elec. (£1)	22/6	23/6	
109	Do. Income Bonds	106	108	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

83	Antofagasta Ord.	80½	82½	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	78½	80½	
—	Bahia Blanca Guar. Stk	75	77	
94½	Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn	93½	95½	+½
83½	Buenos Ayres & Pacific	84½	86½	+½
74	Buenos Ayres and W.	73½	75½	
—	Canadian National Guar	68	70	
222	Canadian Pacific	213	216	
80	Central Argentine	77½	79½	
75	Do. Def.	72	74	
75	Central Uruguay	72	74	
18	Cordoba Central	17	19	
52	Do. 1st Pref.	48	52	
27	Do. 2nd Pref.	28	31	
80½	Entre Rios	80	82	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref.	91	93	-½
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar	78	80	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Db.	78	80	
—	Internatl. of Cent. Amer.	30	35	
50	Leopoldina	48	50	
3	Mexican Rails	2½	3	
8	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	7	9	
5	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	3	5	
183	San Paulo Ord.	181	186	
24	United Havana	18	21	-2

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	233	236	-2
—	Chesapeake	235	240	+1½
—	Chicago Milwaukee New	24½	25½	
54	Erie	61	63	+1
—	Do. 1st Pref.	66	69	
—	New York Central	186	191	
—	New York Ontario	13	15	
—	Pennsylvania	84	86	+1
135	Southern Common	131	134	
—	Southern Pacific	126	129*	
234	Union Pacific	232	237	+1

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

23/6	Allsopp £1 Shares	21/6	23/0	
64/0	Bass, Ratcliff Ord.	60/0	62/0	
6/9	Brewers of Vancouver	6/6	7/6	
—	City of London Def. (5/-)	8/6	9/6	
63/0	Courage Ord.	59/6	61/0	
64/0	Distillers Ord.	62/6	64/0	-0/6
101/6	Guinness Ord. (£1 units)	98/0	99/0*	-0/3
62/0	Hoare and Co.	60/0	62/0	
60/0	Ind Coope Ord.	59/6	61/0	
58/0	South African Breweries	2⅞	3	
—	Walker (John) Pref.	21/6	22/6	
54/9	Watney Combe Def. (£1)	51/6	53/6	

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

—	Bournemouth and Poole	59/0	61/0	-0/9
26/0	Charing Cross	25/0	26/0	-0/6
—	Chelsea Ord.	23/6	25/6	
33/0	City of London	31/9	33/9	-0/3
45/0	County of London	43/9	44/9	
—	Lancashire	26/0	27/0	
26/6	London Electric	26/0	27/6	
38/6	Metropolitan	39/6	40/6	+0/6
23/7½	Newcastle	23/0	24/0	
26/3	St. James's	24/6	25/6	
—	South London	26/0	27/6	
25/6	Westminster	24/9	25/9	
—	Whitehall Inv. Pref.	24/0	24/6	

IRON, COAL AND STEEL.

5/6	Amal. Anthracite	5/0	5/6	-0/1½
0/8½	Armstrong (W. G.)	0/6	0/9	
60/9	Babcock, Wilcox Ord.	59/0	60/0	
3/0	Baldwins	2/7½	3/1½	
3/9	Brown (John)	2/4½	2/10½	
17/6	Brell Combustion	27/32	31/32	
2/0	Cammell Laird	1/7½	2/1½	
57/6	Cory (William)	56/0	57/0	
6/1½	Dorman Long	5/0	5/6	
38½	International Nickels	40½	40¾	+¼
3/9	Pease and Partners	3/1½	3/7½	
22/6	South Durham Steel	1	1¼	
24/6	Siemens	22/3	23/3	
7/9	Vickers Ord.	7/3	7/9	-0/1½

INSURANCE.

18	Alliance £20 (£2 4/- pd.)	17¼	18¼	-¾
13⅛	Atlas £5 (£1 5/- paid)	12⅛	12⅝	
23¾	Com. Un. (£2½ paid)	22½	23½	
11¾	Eagle Star Ord. £3	11	12	
3 11/16	Employers £1 (5/- paid)	3 7/16	3 11/16	
14½	Gen. Accdt. £5 (£1¼ p.)	13½	14½	
9⅞	Guardian £ (10/- paid)	9½	10	
27¾	L. & Lan. Fire £5 (£1 p.)	26½	27½	
9⅞	Lon. Ass. £2½ (£1¼ p.)	9¼	9¾	
34	N.B. & Mer. £5 (£1¼ p.)	31¾	32¾	-¼
16½	Northern £10 (£1 paid)	15	16	
13½	Phoenix £10 (£1 paid)	12¾	13¼	
14¼	Do. £1 (f.p.)	13½	14	
22	Prudential	21¼	22¼	
1⅞	Do. "B" £1 (4/- p.)	1¾	2	
6⅛	Royal Exchange	5⅞	6⅛	
8	Royal Ins. £1 (10/- p.)	7½	8	
37	Sun Ins. £10 (£2 paid)	36¾	37¾	
54	Sun Life £10	53	55	
6⅛	Yorkshire £5 (10/- p.)	5¾	6¼	

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

38/6	Argentine Land Invest.	1¾	2	
20/0	Do. Southern Land	18/0	21/0	
—	City San Paulo Impts.	9/4½	9/7½	-0/6
16/7½	Forestal Land	15/6	15/9	
4 5/16	Hudson's Bay Ord.	4	4⅛	
1 5/16	Hyderabad Deccan	1⅛	1¼	
3/3	Pekin Syndicate	3/0	3/6	
0/9	Rio de Janeiro (1/- sh.)	0/7½	0/10½	
—	Sudan Plantations	3 1/16	3 5/16	

NEWSPAPERS.

1 7/16	Assd. Newspapers Def.	1 3/16	1¼	-3/32
1 5/16	Allied News Ord.	1 3/16	1¼	+3/32
—	Amal. Press (New)	20/0	21/0	-0/3
3 7/32	Daily Mail Trust	2 27/32	2 31/32	-3/32
23/0	Daily Mirror Ord.	20/6	21/0*	-0/3
—	Financial Newspapers	15/6	16/6	
3⅛	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	2¾	2 15/16*	-3/32

OILS.

M.U. February 17.				
3 15/32	Anglo-American	3 17/32	3 19/32	
1 13/16	Anglo-Ecuadorian	2 1/32	2 3/32	
2 7/16	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	2 5/16	2⅜	
4 5/32	Anglo-Persian Ord.	4 1/32	4 3/32	-1/16
26/3	Do. 8 p.c. 1st Pref.	25/4	25/9	
28/1½	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	27/10½	28/4½	
97	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	94½	95½	
1 3/16	Apex Trinidad (5/- shares)	1⅛	1 3/16	-1/32
1⅞	Attock	1⅝	1⅞	-1/16
9/9	British Borneo Pet. (10/-)	9/3	9/9	
6/1½	British Burmah (8/-)	5/3	6/3	
3/6	British Controlled	3/1½	3/4½	-0/1½
3/7½	Do. Pref.	5/1½	6/1½	-0/1½
4 7/32	Burmah	4 1/32	4 5/32	-1/32
26/6	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	26/3	26/9	
12/1½	Canadian Eagle Ord.	10/10½	11/1½	-0/3
17/4½	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref. ($5)	12/1½	12/7½	
12/6	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	11/3	11/9	
1 27/32	Creole Synd.	1⅛	1 5/16	-1/32
6	Eagle Transport Pref.	5 5/16	6 1/16	
5/9	Kern River (10/-)	4/10½	5/4½	-0/4½
—	Lago (no par value)	3½	3 9/16	
1 15/32	Lobitos	1¼	1 13/16	-1/32
13/0	Mexican Eagle Ord.	11/9	12/0	-0/4½
12/9	Do. 8 p.c. Pref. New	11/4½	11/10½	-0/4½
8/3	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref. (4 pesos)	8/0	8/6	
1/0	North Caucasian (10/-)	0/6	1/0	
0/9	Oiutum	0/6	1/0	
—	Pan-American "B"	52½	53½	+½
12/10½	Phoenix Oil	11/1½	11/7½*	-0/3
6/9	Do. 1/- shares	5/9	6/3*	-0/1½
32¼	Royal Dutch	31¼	31½	-¼
4 15/32	Shell Transport	4 5/32	4 7/32	-1/32
9⅞	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9½	10	
26/6	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	24/9	25/3	-0/3
0/6	Spies (2/-)	0/3	0/9	
9/0	Steaua Romana	8/3	8/9	
7/9	Tankers Pref.	7/6	8/0	
3/6	Trinidad Central	4/0	5/0	
3 15/16	Trinidad Leasehold	3 11/16	3¾	
6/6	United Brit. Trinidad	5/10½	6/1½	
2/0	Ural Caspian	1/7½	2/1½	
2 29/32	V.O.C. Holdings	2 23/32	2 25/32	-1/16
2⅞	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	2 13/16	2 11/16	-⅛

RUBBERS.

0/7½	Amal. Finance	0/7½	
34/3	Anglo-Dutch	33/6	-0/4½
3/0	Anglo-Java	3/1½	
25/32	Anglo-Malay	16/0	
4/4½	Bertam Consol.	4/3	
3/1½	Bukit Mertajam	3/1½	
1/3	Bukit Sembawang	1/1½	
25/32	Grand Central	18/0	
1 7/16	Highlands	30/0	
15/6	Jugra Land	16/0	
1⅞	Kuala Lumpur	40/0	
1¼	Linggi	25/7½	
4/6	London Asiatic	4/4½	
1½	Malacca	30/0	-1/3
24/9	Malayalam	24/10½	-0/7½
2/7½	Merlimau	2/4½	-0/1½
1⅛	Moonly Valley	22/6	
37/6	Rubber Trust	36/9	-0/4½
17/6	Straits Rubber	17/6	
3/0	Sumatra Para	3/0¾	
1 7/16	Tandjong	28/9	
1⅛	Tandjong Malim	23/9	
4/0	United Serdang	3/10½	-0/1½
3	United Sua Betong	61/3	
13/3	Vallambrosa	13/3	-0/3

Allagar	1/9½		Londu	10/0	
Bah Lias	28/9		Maneh'r N.B.	13/9	
Batu Tiga	28/9		N. Hayoep	1/1½	
Bornam Pr'k	3/0		N. Hummock	15/0	
B.N.B.H. Prf	60½*		Pahi (f.p.)	0/9½	
Do. Def	83		P.P.K. (C'y'n	13/9	
Broome Sel.	17/6		Pataling	19/4½	
Bukit Rajah	16/3		Perak (2/)	3/6	
Chersonese	2/4½		Pilmoor	25/0	
Cicely	5/0		Rim Malacca	2/3¾	
East Asiatic	2/3	-0/1½	Sapumalk'de	31/10	
Eastern Trst.	23/1½		Sedenak	23/9*	-1/3
F.M.S. Plant	35/0		Serdang C'tl.	21/3	
Gen. Ceylon	26/10		Singap'e Para	1/1½	-0/1½
Glenbervie	24/4½		Soember Ajoe	2/6	
Golden Hope	25/7½		Sumatra Con.	15/7½	
Java Amal.	25/0		Sungei K'par.	3/0	
Kepitigalla	1/3		Sungei Siput.	0/9½	
Kombok	2/6	-0/1½	Taiping	1/9	
Kuala Sel.	4/3	-0/1½	Tamiang	33/1½*	
Langkat Sum	15/0		Telogoredjo	30/7½	-0/7½
Laras	2/3	-0/2	Tempeh	1/6	-0/1½
Do. Deb.	97		Toerangio	30/0	
Lodbury	25/0		Yam Seng	2/7½	

REFRESHMENT AND FOOD.

17/6	Aerated Bread	17/6	18/6	
38/0	Bovril Def.	36/9	37/9*	
2/4½	Crosse and Blackwell	2/0	3/0	
16/6	Home and Colonial (4/-)	16/0	16/6	
4/3	Lipton	3/9	4/3	
22/0	Lovell and Christmas	15/16	1 1/16	
4 15/16	Lyons (J.)	4 13/16	4 15/16	
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	22/3	23/3	
5/0	Maypole Def.	5/3	5/9	
—	Scribbans	12/10½	13/4½	-0/1½
—	Do. Def. (1/-)	1/9	2/0	-0/1½
½	Smithfield Arg. Meat	15/32	17/32	
50/0	Spratt's Patent	2⅜	2⅝	

SHIPPING.

—	Cairn Line	5/6	6/6	
—	Cunard Ord.	20/9	21/9	
—	Elder-Dempster 6% Pref.	4/6	5/6	
—	Furness Withy	33/0	34/0	-0/6
—	P. and O. Def. (£1)	46/6	47/6	
—	Royal Mail Ord.	23	27	

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	21¼		Galaha Ceylon	44/4½	-1/6
Assam Co.	31/3		Imperial	37/6	+1/3
Assam Consol.	10/7½		Jetinga Valley	28/6	
Assam Front'r	20/7½	+0/7½	Jhanzie	43/9	+1/3
Bog'want'lawa	62/6		Jokai	66/3	+1/3
Porelli	65/0		Jorehaut	66/3	+1/3
Brahmapootra	27⅛		Kanan Devan	38¾	
Brit. Indian	5*/6		Lebong	76/3	
Budla Beta	69/4½		Lungla	13/9	
Ceylon Plant	60/0		Makum	35/9	
Ceylon Prop.	33/1½		Moabund	28/9	+2/6
Chargola	11/3		Nedeem	40/0	
Chubwa	61/3		New Dimbula	6 1/16	
Chulsa	50/0		Nuwara Eliya	5½	
Con. Tea & L.	23¼		Ouvah	67/6	+2/6
Darjeeling Co.	5*/6		Peacock & Nil.	3/4½	
Do. Consol.	62/6		Pabbojan	4 11/16*	
Deundi	18/0		Pundaloya	90/0	
Dima (£1)	5½/3	+1/0	Rosehaugh Cey	27/6	
Dimbula Val.	57/0		Scottish Assam	34/6	
Dooars	47/6		Scot. T. & Ln	62/6	
Doom Dooma	80/0		Singlo	45/0	
E. Assam	67/6	+1/3	Sumatra (17/6	19/6	
Fast Produce	13/0		Travancore	31/3	+1/3
Empire	38/1½	+0/7½	Up. Assam	40/6	

TEXTILES AND ARTSILKS.

—	Alliance Art Silk (5/-)	0/9	1/3	
0/7½	Amalgamated Cotton	0/6	0/10½	
22/0	Bleachers	20/0	21/0	
28/6	Bradford Dyers	25/6	26/6	
3/0	Branston Ord.	2/6	3/6	
1/0	Do. Def. (fully paid)	3/32	5/32	
12/6	British Celanese Ord.	[illegible]	1 1/16	
12/6	Do. Pref.	10/3	11/3	-0/3
13/6	Calico Printers	12/6	13/6	
2⅜	Canadian Celanese	2¼	2¾	
65/0	Coats	64/0	65/0	
2⅜	Courtaulds	2 5/16	2⅜	-1/32
—	Linen Thread Ord.	1 5/16	1⅜*	
15/0	Lister Ord.	13/9	14/9	
3/0	Nuera Silk	5/32	7/32	
2/0	Do. Def.	1/16	5/16	
12/6	Snia Viscosa	11/0	12/0	+0/3

TELEGRAPHS, TELEPHONES, WIRELESS.

24	Anglo-American Tel.	23⅞	24⅝	+½
96	Cables & Wireless 5½% Pf	93½	95½	+½
63	Do. 7½% "A" Ord.	59	61	+5
31	Do. "B" Ord.	27	29	+4
1 5/16	Marconi Marine	2 1/16	2 5/16	
1 5/16	Do. Canada	1 5/16	1 5/16	+5/16
—	Oriental Telephone	2 1/16	2 15/16	
42	Radio Corporation	49¼	50¼	+¼
—	Do. Pref.	11⅛	11⅜	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

13/0	African and East. Trade	13/9	14/9	-0/3
26/7½	Associated Cement	24/3	24/9	
26/6	Associated Electric Ind.	26/0	27/0	
3/0	Baird Television A	3/0	3/3	
10/0	Borax Con. Def.	9/6	10/6	+0/4½
37¼	Brazilian Traction	38¼	38½	+⅛
5 21/32	British American Tobacco	5½	5⅝	-1/32
46/3	British Aluminium	42/0	43/0	
5/6	British Inter Pictures	5/3	5/9	
25/0	British Match	24/9	25/6	+0/1½
2¼	British Portland Cement	2 3/32	2 7/32	
33/6	British Oil and Cake	31/6	32/6	-0/6
—	British Talking Pictures	0/4½	0/7½	
74/0	Callenders Cables	71/6	73/6	
4	Canadian Car (no par vl)	25	30	+1
8/6	Carmelite Trust	1/9	2/3	
9	Carreras	8⅞	9⅛	
1/0	Chemical and Metal	0/9	1/0	
6	Columbia Graphs	6	6⅛	+⅛
—	Crittal's Manufacturing	1 5/16	1 5/16	
4/0	Crystalate Gramophone	3/9	4/0	
13/6	Dunlop Rubber	11/6	11/9	-0/7½
17/3	Ever Ready (5/-)	16/9	17/6	
—	Ford Motor	2⅞	3	+⅛
45/6	General Electric Ord.	45/3	46/3	
1/3	Goodson Gramophones	1/0	1/6	
4 5/16	Gramophone Ord.	3 15/16	4 1/16	-1/16
—	Harland and Wolff Pref.	8/6	9/6	
71/0	Harrods Stores	66/0	67/0	+0/3
19/0	Harrod's (B.A.)	17/6	18/0	-0/3
6 1/16	Henley's Telegraph	5⅞	6⅛	
—	Imperial Airways	1	1⅛	
4¾	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	4 19/32	4 21/32*	-1/16
40/9	Do. Canada	40/0	41/0	
26/6	Imp. Chem. Indus. Ord.	24/7½	25/1½	-0/1½
8/6	Do. Def.	7/9	8/0	-0/1½
5⅛	Internl. Holdings Ord.	4⅞	5⅛	
40/0	Johnson and Phillips	37/0	38/0	-0/3
1	Keystone Knitting Def.	0/1½	0/7½	
—	Do. Pref. Ord.	4/4½	4/7½	
30	Kreuger and Toll	29¼	29¾	
22/9	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	22/7½	23/1½	
—	Machine Made Sales	3/10½	4/1½	+0/3
3¼	Margarine Un. Ord.	3 5/16	3¼	-1/32
1 11/16	Ner Sag	15/1½	16/1½	-0/7½
1/1½	Parent Trust Def.	1/0	2/0	
6/9	Platt Bros. Ord.	5/3	6/3	-0/3
—	Reckitts Ord.	3⅞	4	
27/0	Ronso	1¼	1⅝	
—	Ruth's Steam Stor. A.	6/3	6/9	
1⅞	Salt Union	1¾	1⅞	
79	San Paulo Tram Deb.	82	85*	
78	Shawinigan Water Com	76	78	
17 5/16	Swedish Match B	16½	16¾	+⅛
49/9	Tate and Lyle	33/6	34/6	
—	Taylor's Services	38/10½	39/10½	
3/10½	Taylor's Cash Chem. Def.	3/6	3/9	
—	Tilling Ord.	5	5⅛	
—	Tobacco Trust Ord.	315	325	-2½
—	Do. Def.	470	480	-1/16
1 13/32	Triplex Glass	1 5/16	1 7/16	
5¼	United Molasses	4 15/16	5 1/16	
9/0	Vine Products Ord. (5/-)	8/6	9/6	
21/32	Vocalion Gramophone	½	9/16	
1/4½	Do. Foreign	0/6	1/6	-0/3
44/0	Wallpaper Def.	42/6	43/6	

*Ex div. †Ex rights. ‡Cum. div. ||Ex bonus.

PRICES OF RECENT ISSUES.

B.A.G.S. Pref. (fully paid)—10-10¼.
B.A. Pacific New Pref. (fully paid)—9⅝-9⅞.
B.A.T. New Pref.—22/4½-22/10½.
Benskins (15/- paid)—18/6-19/6.
Brighton New—5/16 7/16 prem.
British Estates, Java, Debs.—3½-4½ prem.
Central Argentine New Deb.—¼ dis.-¼ prem.
Central Electricity Board 5 p.c.—1⅝-1⅛ dis.
India 6 p.c. (fully paid)—100⅛-100⅜.
Linggi Debs.—6-7 prem.
Nigeria—3¼-½ dis.
Weyman Bodies—1/6-3/6.

T. LYONS AND CO.

ANNUAL MEETING IN CORK.

Sir Stanley Harrington, Chairman, who presided at the annual meeting in Cork yesterday of T. Lyons and Company, said that the business of the company had shown a substantial increase in each of their city houses for the past year. Though the trade has shown a considerable increase, he regretted to say that the profit had not at all increased in proportion, for it was deemed advisable, owing to keen competition, to sell at such rates that we could not be beaten in price legitimately. This should lead to more business, and they expected improved results. The total assets, he said, represent £305,292. From this must be taken £6,192, the dividend now payable, leaving £299,100. The debenture holders have first claim on this, the trade creditors, cash creditors and bills discounted come next; then the preference shareholders, making a total charge of £76,954, against assets representing £299,100, nearly four times the amount, so that the creditors have absolute security. Deducting the charge

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of £76,954 from the £299,100 assets, there remains a balance of £222,146 in favour of the ordinary shareholders against their capital of £148,000, showing a reserve of £74,146, equal to 50 per cent.; or, in other words, the ordinary shareholders have property and assets representing 30s. in the £ on their capital. He moved the adoption of the report and statement of accounts, and that dividend warrants at the rate of 5 per cent per annum on the preference shares, and at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the ordinary shares, with a bonus of 1 per cent. for the year (less income tax) be issued to the shareholders on the 1st March, leaving £11,381 16s. 5d. to carry forward to next account.

The motion was passed.

LONDON MINING MARKET IDLE.

PUBLIC INTEREST AT A LOW EBB.

It cannot be said that the Mining market showed any signs of shaking off its inertia. Here and there specialties attracted some attention, but dealings were almost entirely of a professional character, and public interest was still at a very low ebb. In the Kaffir department, for instance, business was mostly in the nature of evening-up transactions over the week-end, and resulted in a fairly general lowering of values. There was no real selling, and the reaction was the result of realisations by professionals. Rhodesians had a somewhat tired appearance and dealings were conducted with caution. In most cases sellers outnumbered buyers. and the trend of values was downward. Chartered closed a trifle on the wrong side, and Tanks were offered from the Continent and fell away. Of the Northern issues, Congo Border relapsed rather sharply and N'Changa and Roan Antelope were the turn lower. Diamonds were still unable to shake off their lethargy, and not a single quotable alteration could be recorded. The price of tin further declined £1 13s. 9d. to £168 12s. 6d. per ton, a new low record for recent times. The share market, which has hitherto held up well under the steady fall in the metal, was unable to maintain its independence, though the shrinkages which occurred were not individually important, and were in most cases the result of week-end evening-up of books. Among Coppers, Rio Tinto were subject to profit-taking and dropped 10s. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U. Feb. 17.			
17/3	Afric. & Eur.	16/3-17/3	-0/3
22/0	Aml. Mn. Tst.	21/3-22/3	
1 19/32	Ang-ACp 10/-	1½-1 9/16	
1½	Anglo-Fr'ch	19/6-20/6	
2 11/16	Brakpan	2 11/16-2 13/16*	
18	Cent. Mining	17½-18	-¼
7/6	City Deep	5/6-6/0	
2 3/32	Con. Goldfields	2-2 1/16	-1/32
2 5/32	Cons. M. Reef	14/9-15/3	
17/9	Con. M. Sel.	17/3-17/9	-0/3
3 5/32	Crown Mines	3⅛-3 5/16	-1/32
11/0	Durban Deep	9/6-10/6*	
10/9	E. Rand Prop	9/9-10/3	
3 5/16	Geduld	3 7/32-3 11/32	
5/4½	Golden Deep	5/3-5/9*	
2 5/32	Gen. Mining	2 1/32-2 5/32	-1/32
1 9/16	Govt. M. (5/)	1⅝-1 11/16	
45/0	Johan. Invsts	44/6-45/6	+0/3
2/0	Kleinfontein	1/0-2/0	
9/0	Knight's	8/6-9/6	
21/0	Langlaagte E	20/3-20/9	-0/3
½	Meyer & Char.	15/32-17/32	
6/18	Modderfontn.	4-4⅛	
13/3	Modder B.	14/3-15/3	
1 5/16	Modder Deep	1 19/32-1 7/32	
1¼	Modder East	1 5/16-1¼	
1 9/16	New S Areas	1 9/16-1⅝	
7/32	Nigel	⅛-¼	
8/3	Nourse	8/9-9/3	
1/9	Oceana Con.	1/4½-1/10½	-0/1½
4/3	Potgeit'rust.	3/10½-4/1½	
3 1/16	Rand Mines	2⅞-3*	
5/9	Randfontein	5/9-6/3	
7/9	Robin Deep B	7/0-8/0	
4/6	Rose Deep	4/0-5/0	
3/0	Simmer & J.	3/0-3/3	
1 5/16	S.A. G. Trust	1¼-1⅜	
9/6	S.A. Towns	9/0-9/6	+0/3
3¼	Springs	3⅛-3¼	
14/6	Sth.-W. Af.	14/3-14/9	
1 29/32	Sub Nigel	1¾-1⅞*	
3½	Trans. Del. B	3¼-3½*	
1 5/16	Trans. Con. L	1¼-1⅜*	
3 19/32	Union Corp.	3 7/16-3 9/16	
6/3	Van Ryn	5/6-6/6*	
1⅝	Do. Deep	1½-1 9/16	-1/32
2	Vereeniging	1 31/32-2 1/32	
7/1½	Village Deep	7/4-7/9*	
6/0	West R. Con	5/3-5/9	
15/3	West Springs	14/6-15/6	
3/6	Wit. Deep	3/0-4/0	

RUSSIAN.

0/7½	Lena Gold	0/6-0/9	
0/4	Rus-Asiat (2/6)	0/3-0/6	

RHODESIAN.

M.U. Feb. 17.			
8/6	Bechuana Ex	8/3-8/9	
23/0	B. M'Kubwa	22/1½-22/4½	
1⅛	Cam & Motor	1 15/32-1 17/32*	
41/9	Char. B.S.A.	40/1½-40/4½	-0/1½
4/0	Gaika Gold	3/6-4/6	
13/0	Globe & Phoe	15/3-15/9	
9/7½	Gold F. Rho.	9/0-9/6	
6/3	Loangwa	5/6-6/0	+0/3
2 7/32	Lonely Reef	1 5/16-1 7/16*	
3¼	N'Changa Cop	2⅞-3	-1/16
1⅛	Rezende	1⅛-1¼*	
20	R. Broken H.	2/0-2/3	
14/0	R. Congo Bor.	14½-14¾	-½
1 7/16	Roan Antel (5/	1 13/32-1 15/32	-0/3
4/6	Selukwe (2 6)	4/0-4/6	
1/9	Shamva	1/0-2/3	
1 1/16	Sherw'd Star	1-1 1/16*	
1 5/16	S. Rhd. Mils	14/9-15/3	+0/7½
1 5/32	Tangan. Con	1 17/32-1 19/32	
2 5/16	Vic. Falls Ord	2⅛-2 5/16	
33/0	Do. Pref.	32/6-33/6	
1¼	Wankie Col	1¼-1 5/16	
2 1/32	Zamb. Expl	1 29/32-1 31/32	

DIAMOND.

¾	Angola Dia.	13/3-14/3	
11/3	Co. D. S. W. A.	10/3-10/9	
9/3	De Beers Def	9¾-10	
12 9/16	Do. Pref.	12½-12¾	
2 1/16	Jagersf'tein	2-2⅛	
7/0	N. Val River	4/0-5/0	
4/3	Premier Pref	4⅜-5⅛	
4/3	West African	4/0-4/6	

AUSTRALIAN.

½	Amal. Zinc	15/32-16/32	-1/32
21/9	B. Hill Prop	20/6-21/6	
2¾	Do. South	2⅛-2⅜	-⅛
1 7/16	Elec. Zinc Pf.	1 5/16-1 7/16	
12/9	Lake V. Star	11/3-11/9	
22/0	Lake V. Inv.	21/3-22/3	
1 9/32	Mount Isa	1 5/16-1 7/16	
4⅛	Nth. Bn. Hill	3⅝-3⅞	
13/6	Sth. Kalgurli	12/6-13/6	
15/0	Sulphide Ord	13/6-14/6	-0/3
21/3	Do. Pref.	20/0-21/0	-0/3
1 11/16	Zinc Ord (10/	1 5/16-1 7/16	
3⅝	Do. Pref.	3⅛-3⅜	

COPPER.

17/0	Messina	15/9-16/9	
1 21/32	Mount Lyell	31/0-32/0	
1 3/16	Namaqua	1 1/16-1 3/16	
44¾	Rio Tinto (£5	43½-44	-½
4⅞	Tharsis	4 11/16-4 15/16	

TIN.

M.U. Feb. 17.			
11/0	Anglo-C. (10/)	10/9-11/3	
6/1	Anglo-Orient	5/0-6/0	-0/6
14/6	Do. Pref	13/9-14/9	-0/3
1 15/16	Aramayo	1 13/16-1 15/16	-1/16
6/3	Associa'd Tin	5/7½-6/1½	-0/1½
8/0	Bisichi	7/9-8/3	
1/0	Entesee Tr'st	0/7½-0/10½	
0/9	Fabulosa	0/6-0/9	
2¼	Gopeng	2 5/16-2 7/16	
19/3	Ipoh	18/6-19/6	-0/3
15/0	Kaduna Synd	1 1/16-1 3/16*	
8/3	Kamunting	8/0-8/6	+0/3
1⅞	Kram't Pulai	1 15/16-1 15/16	
1 5/16	London Tin	1 7/16-1½	-1/32
25/6	Malayan T.D	25/3-25/9	-0/3
⅝	Naraguta	½-⅝	
10/6	Pahang (5/)	9/9-10/3	
⅝	Rambutan	⅝-¾	
1 5/16	Renong	13/6-24/6	
—	Ropp New (4/)	8/0-8/6	
12/0	Siamese	11/3-11/9	
1/0	Sth. Bukeru	0/9-1/3	
7/9	Tavoy (4/)	6/6-7/0	-0/3
20/0	Tronoh (5/)	20/0-20/6	

WEST AFRICAN.

26/0	Ashanti	25/6-26/0	
13/3	Fanti Cons.	13/0-13/6	

MISCELLANEOUS.

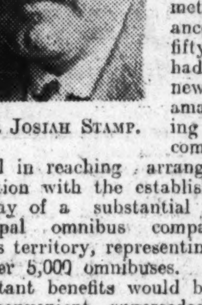
14/9	Burma Corp.	12/9-13/0*	-0/1½
1/1½	C'mp Bird (2)	0/10½-1/1½	-0/1½
8/9	Champ. Reef	8/0-9/0	
7/16	Chos. Synd. A	¼-½	
—	Explor. (10/-)	5/3-6/3	
⅝	Huronian Blt	½-⅝	
1/4½	Keeley Silver	1/0-1/6	
5/32	Mexico Min's	3/32-5/32	
7⅛	Min. Sepa'T'n	7-7¼	
13/9	Min. Crp. Can	11/6-12/6	
13/3	Mysore (10/)	11/9-12/9	
16/3	Nundydroog	16/3-17/3	
6/3	Ooregum	5/0-6/0	
19/9	Panama Corp	19/6-20/6	+0/6
19/0	St. J. Del Rey	18/0-19/0	
1 5/16	San Fr'isco	21/6-22/6	-0/6
8/3	Santa Gert.	9/3-9/9	-0/3
1 5/32	Tigon Ming.	1 5/16-1⅜	-1/32
8/0	Trepca (2/6)	8/9-9/3	+0/6
12/9	Waihi Gold	12/3-13/3	

* Ex Dividend. † Ex Rights. ‡ Ex bonus.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

L.M.S. AND 5,000 OMNIBUSES.

Sir Josiah Stamp, presiding at the annual meeting of the London, Midland and Scottish Railway at Euston, yesterday, said that the losses in passenger traffic receipts for the year had been severe owing to trade depression and road competition. Despite the extension of cheap fares, operating expenses had generally been reduced by improved methods and appliances. A total of fifty million pounds had been spent on new works since amalgamation. During the year the company had succeeded in reaching arrangements for co-operation with the established road services by way of a substantial interest in the principal omnibus companies in the company's territory, representing now an interest in over 5,000 omnibuses. One of the more important benefits would be the elimination of inconvenient, superseded, and, therefore, unremunerative railway services, together with the substitution of road services for local trains of little earning value. In the carriage of merchandise traffic by road the difficulties encountered were more pronounced, owing to the wider range of interests involved and the diverse ownership of goods transport vehicles, but the policy of operating railway road vehicles where expedient continued to be developed. A full report of the address is published in this issue.



SIR JOSIAH STAMP.

An interesting point mentioned by Sir Josiah Stamp at the meeting referred to the analysis of the number of holdings in each class of stock. In the fixed interest and prior charge issues the majority of holdings are in the "£400 and upwards" classes, but in the Ordinary Stock, which bears the main burden of fluctuation in industrial fortunes, well over 50 per cent. of the holdings are for amounts under £300, while the total number of accounts is about 300,000. He pointed out further, that while in 1921 the pay-roll covered 285,000 people, in 1923 the figure had been reduced to 268,000, and now it is 249,000—an important index of the progress of reorganisation.

COMPULSORY WHEAT POOL.

Though rejecting entering the political field officially, the United Farmers of Saskatchewan, meeting in convention at Saskatoon, ratified the idea of a compulsory wheat pool. The resolution required a two-thirds majority from 800 delegates. Since the pool itself is definitely opposed to compulsion, the resolution only asks the United Farmers' directors to stand ready to co-operate with the pool itself in framing legislation. The resolution was a compromise and was passed with only three dissenting votes. It probably means little unless the marketing situation becomes acute.

DIAMOND OUTPUT OF S. AFRICA.

The diamond output last year is officially declared to have been 3,661,211 carats, with a value of £10,590,113, a decrease as compared with the previous year of upwards of £6,000,000. The mines contributed over £5,750,000, an increase of £150,000. Caratage value was 50s. 4d., an increase of 7d. Alluvial production amounted to £4,823,212, a decrease of over £6,250,000, and the caratage value was 34s. 1d., a drop of 36s. 5d.

REZENDE MINES.

At an extraordinary meeting of Rezende Mines to be held in Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia, on 10th June, at 11.30 a.m., the directors will propose the return of 2s. 6d. per share to the holders of the 150,000 shares of £1 each. This will reduce the issued capital to £131,250 in shares of 17s. 6d. each.

PEARL ASSURANCE COMPANY.

The 66th annual report for last year shows that the total income was £14,904,000, an increase of £682,000. The claims paid amounted to £61,813,000, an increase of £6,119,000, and the funds now total £58,464,000, an increase of £4,882,000. The directors have declared a reversionary bonus of £2 6s. on each £100 sum assured on all policies entitled to participate in full profits, and a sum of £506,671 has been set aside to provide reversionary bonuses to policies effected before January 1, 1923.

BRANSTON ARTIFICIAL SILK.

The directors of Branston Artificial Silk Company announce that, owing to the fall in demand for rayon, and uncertainty of future of silk duties they are stopping production temporarily.

MARGARINE UNION, LTD.

An extraordinary general meeting was held at Union House, St. Martin's-le-Grand, London, E.C.1, yesterday. The Right Hon. the Earl of Bessborough, C.M.G., presiding, said that the object of the meeting was to consider certain resolutions which were necessary in order to carry out the agreement which had been completed with the Lever group. The further business of the meeting was to consider the change of the name of the company to Unilever, Limited, and to elect further directors. Resolutions were then passed, unanimously adopting the new articles of association changing the name of the company to Unilever, Limited, and electing Franz Schicht and Arthur Hartog as additional "A" directors, and the Viscount Leverhulme, Francis D'Arcy Cooper, Harold Robert Greenhalgh, John McDowell, James Lever Ferguson, Charles Edmund Tatlow, Major-General Sidney Seldon Long, C.B.; James Lomax Simpson, Harry Goodwin Hart, Charles Rowarth Baker Crondson, William Barnish, John Cheshire, Louis Herbert Hartland-Swann, C.B.E.; William Liversey Helm, John Westall Pearson and Horatio Ballantyne, as "B" directors of the company.

BRADFORD DYERS CHAIRMAN AND SILK DUTIES.

Speaking at the ordinary general meeting at Bradford yesterday of Bradford Dyers Association, Ltd., Mr. George Douglas, the Chairman, said that the Association's trade in high-class artificial silk fabrics had progressed very favourably in the past few years. There had, however, been a set-back in the past year, due, he feared, to uncertainty regarding the silk duties. "If," he said, "British industry is expected to raise its head once more there will have to be an end of this practice of making it a shuttlecock between the rival policies of the political parties. Whatever views may have been held as to the desirability of the duties when they were first imposed, there is a general agreement that the reversal of the policy would be harmful, quite apart from the damage already done by the uncertainty." Referring to the increase in unemployment, Mr. Douglas said: "No men in England carry greater responsibility than members of the Government in their disregard of patent facts and in their unyielding attachment to political dogma in spite of the growing paralysis of industry."

THE MONEY MARKET.

LOWER TREASURY BORROWING.

Applications were received at the Bank of England yesterday for £30,000,000 Treasury bills. Tenders dated Monday to Friday of next week at £99 2s. 11d. will receive about 67 per cent., above in full. Tenders dated Saturday at £99 3s. 2d. and above will receive in full. The average rate indicated is just under 3¼ per cent., compared with 3⅜ per cent. a week ago.

Bank Rate Discount (changed February 6, 1930)		4½%			
60 days (fine)	3 7/16	3½%	Trade	4½	5%
3 months		3 7/16%	"	4¾	5%
4 "		3 7/16%	"	5	5¼%
6 "		3 7/16%			
Loans to Brokers Day-to-day	3½	4¼			
for a week		3½%			
Deposit Allowance: Banks at Call		2½%			
Discount Houses at Call		2½%			
at Notice		2¾			

Owing to the shortage of credit, as disclosed in the Bank return, money continued in fair demand, borrowers occasionally paying up to 4½ per cent. for loans over the night. The usual charge was around 4 per cent., old money being renewed at 3½ per cent. for either a day or a week.

Bill rates continued to slide, the downward movement being accentuated by the low rate at which yesterday's Treasuries were placed. The general quotation for fine three months bills was 3⅜ to 3 7/16 per cent., and Treasuries also were changing hands at those figures.

Silver fell 1/16d. for spot and ⅛d. for forward delivery to 19⅛d. and 19 3/16d. per oz., respectively. The chief reason for this fresh fall was a cable from India to the effect that the Government intends to impose an import duty of 4 annas per oz. on silver. Gold remained at 84s. 11½d. per oz. fine.

Centre	Feb. 28 Closing Rates		Feb. 27 Closing Rates		Par of Exch.
New York	4.85 29/32	4.85 31/32	4.86	4.86 1/16	4.86
Montreal	4.88½	4.88⅝	4.88⅜	4.88⅝	4.86⅔
Amsterdam	12.12¼	12.12½	12.12⅜	12.12⅝	12.107
Berlin	20.36½	20.37	20.36¾	20.37	20.43
Brussels	34.88¾	34.89¼	34.88¼	34.89	35.00
Copenhagen	18.16	18.16½	18.16	18.16¼	18.159
Madrid	39.80	39.84	39.63	39.69	25.2215
Milan	92.70	92.72	92.74	92.77	92.46
Oslo	18.16¾	18.17¼	18.16½	18.17	18.159
Paris	124.25	124.27	124.25	124.28	124.2134
Stockholm	18.10	18.10½	18.10¾	18.11	18.159
Zurich	25.18¼	25.19	25.19	25.19½	25.2215
Alexandria	97 7/16	97 9/16	97 7/16	97 9/16	97.05
Athens	374⅞	375¼	374⅞	375¼	375
Helsingfors	193 1/16	193 5/16	193 1/16	193 5/16	193.2
Lisbon	108⅛	108⅜	108⅛	108	4.50½
Vienna	34.50	34.53	34.51	34.54	34.58½
Warsaw	43 5/16	43 7/16	43 5/16	43 7/16	43.38
B. Ayres	42 5/16d.	42⅜d.	42 5/16	42 5/16	47.577d
Lima 90 dys	27¼ p.c. prem.		27¼ p.c. prem.		par
Mexico*	10.15	10.30d.	10.15d.	10.30d.	9.76
M'video*	43¾	44¼d.	43½d.	44d.	51 1/16d
Rio de Jan.	5½	5 9/16d.	5½	5 9/16	5.889d.
Valparaiso	39.79		39.78		40
Calcutta	17 27/32	17 29/32d.	17 27/32	17 29/32d	18d
Kobe (p.yn.)	24 9/32	24 5/16d	24 9/32	24 5/16d	24.58d
Shanghai*	23	23⅛	23	23⅛	—
Singapore*	27 23/32	27 25/32d.	27 23/32	27 25/32	2/8

*Rate quoted on London

ANGLO-FOREIGN NEWSPAPERS.

SIR ROBERT DONALD ON THE POSITION.

AUTHORITY OF DIRECTORS.

Sir Robert Donald, Chairman of Anglo-Foreign Newspapers, Ltd., at an extraordinary general meeting at Winchester House, London, E.C., yesterday, said:—

"This meeting has been called so that the shareholders might receive a statement on the position of their affairs without waiting for the annual general meeting, which, in order to suit your subsidiary undertakings, could not be held until later in the year.

"We have called you together at the earliest possible moment. It is only within the last ten days that we received draft accounts from our auditors on the financial position of the company at the end of its first year, 31st January, and it was only a few days ago that we received the opinion of counsel on inter-company relations and transactions which have an important bearing on the fortunes of your company. Our legal advisers have been engaged for some time in investigating these intricate matters. I joined the company in a professional capacity to negotiate for the purchase of properties and to assist in their management when acquired. The plans for the company had been formed long before I joined, and a great deal of preliminary work done. I was given the titular position of vice-chairman by way of status.

"Another reason why I remained at my post was in the hope that I might be of some service to the thousands of small shareholders who had invested their money in this company. I find they are spread over the country, from Cornwall to Caithness, and in the far West of Ireland. I make these remarks not by way of apology, but of explanation.

"The main purpose of the company, according to the offer for sale, which was not issued by this company, and for which I and my colleagues were not responsible, was to 'acquire, found and develop newspaper and allied undertakings at home and abroad,' and the examinations had been made on behalf of its parent, the Carmelite Trust, Ltd., before I joined the company. Five out of the nine directors were directors of the Carmelite Trust, Ltd., or were associated with other companies in what was known as the Horne group. You remember that there was a rush for the shares, and I was informed that the issue was over-subscribed.

"In January, 1929, newspaper finance was still booming," said Sir Robert. "Into this atmosphere of bracing optimism Anglo-Foreign Newspapers, Ltd., was launched. That was thirteen months ago. We live in a different world to-day. Many currents have converged to undermine the newspaper market and to knock the bottom out of many industrial securities.

"Before the year had run half its course your company was suffering from severe financial indigestion. Investments made following its formation, intended to be temporary, and having at the time an excellent market, could not be realised, thus tying up capital which might have been used more profitably and more in harmony with the avowed main objects of the promoters.

"The offer for sale was made jointly by the Carmelite Trust, Ltd., and the Associated Anglo-Atlantic Corporation, Ltd. Plans were made ahead by these twin-parents, and a large portion of the capital subscribed was

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earmarked in advance. Concurrently with allotment certain transactions were carried through with these two companies which absorbed £720,000, or more than half the available capital. After the payment of preliminary expenses the amount remaining was £680,000. At the time, no doubt, these share transactions were carried out in good faith, but when conditions became worse these inter-company dealings were a great handicap and did not give us freedom to deal with our own capital in our own way. One of the statements made by the late Chairman was that the assets of the company should bring a return of at least £100,000 the first year. I am not able to find how this estimate was arrived at. I became dissatisfied with the conduct of the business and took a letter of resignation to the Chairman early in June on the ground that we were not getting on owing to one thing specially—the lack of team work. He agreed to set up a committee which would meet weekly and would handle all negotiations. In the meantime we had bought newspaper properties, chiefly trade and technical papers, at a cost of £390,000, and a highly-profitable investment the expenditure has proved to be. In October, 1929, we had no reason to believe that Mr. Horne's insolvency was imminent, but we convinced our colleagues that it was advisable to separate from the Horne group. Here we come to the secret and source of some of the troubles—the interlocking interests of groups under control assumed by certain individuals.

The directors are entitled to rely in good faith on the authority exercised by the Chairman and managing directors, with the result that commitments are entered into, appointments made, and shares bought without the knowledge or consent of the board as a whole. The Chairman and managing directors in one capacity carry out transactions with themselves in another capacity without informing their colleagues on either side before the transactions are completed.

"It seems clear from recent experiences that the machinery of administration requires tightening, and that personal responsibility should be increased. There is far too much secrecy about the affairs of big companies, which are, after all, co-operative concerns. Publicity is always healthy, and information should be issued between meetings. There are real grounds for anticipating a substantial amount of recovery in the future," concluded Sir Robert.

After some discussion, the meeting closed with a vote of confidence in the Chairman.

DUBLIN AND BLESSINGTON TRAMWAY COMPANY.

The general meeting of the Dublin and Blessington Steam Tramway Company was held yesterday afternoon at 42 Dame street, Dublin. Mr. Thomas H. Richardson presided, the other directors present being Mr. Thomas B. Jobson and Mr. F. T. Gick.

Mr. Jobson proposed a resolution that the guaranteed dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. for the year ending December 31st, 1929, be now declared and paid at the usual time, subject to the deductions as per resolution passed at the extraordinary general meeting held on the December 6th, 1928.

Mr. Gick seconded the resolution, which was adopted.

Mr. Thomas H. Richardson having been re-elected a director, the auditors, Messrs. Kevans and Kean, were also re-elected.

PEARL ASSURANCE COMPANY, Ltd.
(Incorporated in England.)
HIGH HOLBORN, LONDON, W.C.1.
SIXTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1929
TOTAL INCOME £14,904,000
AN INCREASE OF £682,000
CLAIMS PAID £61,813,000
AN INCREASE OF £6,119,000
FUNDS £58,464,000
AN INCREASE OF £4,882,000
BONUS
ORDINARY BRANCH.
An annual Reversionary Bonus of £2/6/0 per cent. has been declared on Pearl Policies entitled to participate in full profits.
INDUSTRIAL BRANCH.
A sum of £506,671 has been set aside to provide Reversionary Bonuses to Policies, with certain exceptions, effected before 1st January, 1923.
GEORGE TILLEY, Chairman.
District Manager. Mr. D. CROWLEY, 38 Dame Street, Dublin, C.1. Mr. JOHN MURPHY, 38 Dame Street, Dublin, C.1.

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ARCHITECT'S Ideal ... spacious apartment... Jones, 22 Andrew street...
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ATTRACTIVE, well ... mouth square; eve... electricity, garage. Addr... office.
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ATTRACTIVE Bungalo... mites city, convenien... garden, tennis court; ea... sidered.—G 730, this offic...
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BRAY, £1,200, no re... sunny home.—Jones, ...
COMPACT House for ... borough; ground re... moderate to immediate ... O'Connell street.
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DUNDRUM—£650, exc... Jones, 22 Andrew s...
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CONFECTIONERY and Cigarettes—Wanted, to Rent small Shop with living apartments. Going Concern, populous district.—G 579, this office. 26 A

DUN Laoghaire—Extensive lock up Shop, with or without living accommodation, in best business thoroughfare.—G 569, this office. 26 A

DRUMCONDRA—Tobacconist and Newsagency Business as a Going Concern, £1,250; modern well built premises, 5 rooms, bath, electric light. Particulars Battersby, 39 Westmoreland street. 27 B

DENTIST, Dressmaker, or other Business—Self-contained Flat, first floor, separate entrance, to Let; terms moderate; corner Castlewood avenue, Rathmines. Apply 95 Rathmines road.

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HARCOURT road, No. 17, to Let; nice lock-up shop; good window; full fixtured; moderate rent. Apply 25 Grafton street. T

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TO Let, separately, 104/5 Talbot street—Best Shop Premises in Dublin for medium class, ready money trade; 104 excellent for boots.—McNeece, 2 Talbot street. 28 D

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate of the above-named deceased, who died on the 4th day of January, 1930, are hereby required to furnish detailed particulars of same (in writing), on or before the 29th inst., to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executrices, to whom Probate of the Will of the said deceased was granted forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, on the 27th day of February, 1930.

And Notice is hereby given that after the said 29th inst. the Executrices will proceed to administer the estate of the said deceased, having regard only to such claims of which notice shall have been received.

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McCREERY and SON, by directions of Mrs. Evadne Bell,
WILL SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
AT THEIR MART, ST. JOHN'S BRIDGE, KILKENNY,
ON TUESDAY, 25th MARCH, 1930,
At one o'clock,

Her Fee-Simple Interest in the above valuable property, which is held subject to the yearly terminable annuity of £103 7/6, payable to the Irish Land Commission.

The entire residence, with out-offices, are in first-class order and condition throughout, and the Auctioneers invite persons wishing to secure a good investment, as well as a very desirable residence, to inspect same.

Orders to view and full particulars can be had from the undersigned.

Messrs. JAMES POE and LYONS, Solicitors, 14 Patrick street, Kilkenny; or to

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HIGHLY IMPORTANT AUCTION OF A MOST ATTRACTIVE HOME FARM KNOWN AS

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194 Acres of choicest quality Land, with the splendidly equipped Residence and extensive Out-offices, replete with all modern conveniences; electric light and gravitation water supply installed; held in Fee-simple at a low terminable annuity. Also an outlying Farm of 51 Acres at INCHIQUIN, one mile away, 300 Tons of Turnips and Mangolds, in suitable Lots.

JOHN CONDON and SON are instructed by Mr. and Mrs. Maybury-Baylor to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION on the Lands at the hour of One o'clock p.m. on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12th, 1930:—

LOT 1—The valuable Interest in this splendidly situated Home Farm, containing 193a. 3r. 5p. (S.M.), held in Fee-simple, subject to an annuity payable to the Irish Land Commission as to £53 17/6 every half-year. Poor Law Valuation—Land, £181 5/0; buildings, £18. Total £199 5/0.

LOT 2—All that part of the Lands of Inchiquin containing in or about 50a. 3r. 11p., held in Fee-simple, subject to payment of £6 5/0 every half-year to the Irish Land Commission. Poor Law Valuation, £40.

The properties will be shown on application to Mrs. Maybury-Baylor, at The Bungalow, Ballyvergan.

Full particulars at Sale, or on application to—Messrs. J. L. KEANE and SON, Solicitors, Youghal; or to

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THE LIBRARY

of the late Mr. T. R. Roycroft will be SOLD BY AUCTION On WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, 12th and 13th MARCH, 1930, when a very large and interesting Collection of Books will be on Sale.

Catalogues on application to the Auctioneers:

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FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY,

AS A GOING CONCERN,

THE BUSINESS OF CHEMIST and DRUGGIST, lately carried on by Michael Harris, L.P.S.I., in the town of Kilcock, Co. Kildare.

For particulars apply—
MESSRS. O'CONNOR AND COONAN, Solicitors, Naas, Co. Kildare.

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SALE OF VALUABLE 7 DAYS' LICENSED PREMISES, with extensive Grocery Business attached, as a Going Concern, for Mrs. Dan. Ryan, on TUESDAY, MARCH 11th, at 12 o'clock.

Full particulars local Papers and Posters, or from Messrs. FETHERSTONHAUGH and CARTER, Solicitors; or

P. J. DELANEY, M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneer and Valuer, MOUNTRATH.

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OLD-ESTABLISHED MACHINE BAKERY, AS A GOING CONCERN,
In large Provincial town.
Premises in fee-simple. Price £1,500, or near offer.
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FOR SALE, this ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCE, occupying the loveliest view obtainable of the County Down Mountains and Coast.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE GOODS OF

PETER S. COONEY, late of the Grand Hotel, Sligo, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the above are requested to send prticulars of same to the undersigned.

M. J. HOWLEY, Solicitor, Sligo.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR CREDITORS AND INCUMBRANCERS.

Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, made in the Matter of the Estate of

JOHN CARBERRY, Deceased.

JAMES ROBINSON, Plaintiff;
PATRICK O'CONNOR and SON, Ltd., and Another, Defendants.

The creditors of John Carberry, late of Adamstown, Garristown, County Dublin, Farmer, who died in or about the month of April, 1929, are, on or before the 31st day of March, 1930, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. A. J. and A. Robinson, of 119 Stephen's Green, W., Dublin, the Solicitors for the Plaintiff, the Administrator of the personal estate of the deceased, full particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, and all persons claiming to be incumbrancers affecting the freehold, registered and or other real estate of the said John Carberry are to enter and prove their claims at the Central Office, Law Courts, Dublin Castle, Dublin, on or before the said 31st day of March, 1930, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Every creditor or claimant holding any security is to produce the same to the Examiner at his Office, Law Courts, Dublin Castle, on the 9th day of April, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1930.

JOHN HEALY, Examiner.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

City of Dublin (International), Lower Abbey street.—To-night, at 7.30, "The Rally." Special Address by Rev. W. Arnold Bennett. All young Christians welcome. To-morrow, 3 to 6, Men's Bible Class. Address by Rev. W. Arnold Bennett. All young men welcome. 8.30, "Surprise" Service. Open to all. Boys' Department—Sunday, 3 to 6, Bible Class. All boys between 13 and 18, heartily welcome.

Rathmines.—Sunday, 10.15, Bible Class; Mr. G. G. Warner. 4, Bible Class; Mr. E. Wilkinson. 8.30, Gospel Meeting. Address by Mr. George McDonald.

Church of Ireland Y.M.C.A., Dawson street.—At 8.30, a Gospel Address, illustrated with sacred pictures, will be given on "The Bond of Peace" by Mr. J. Lyons Egan. Singing from 8.15.

Kingstown.—8.30, Evangelistic Service. Address by Mr. Adam Scott, Secretary, Irish Union of Y.M.C.A.'s.

AUCTIONS BY DOCKRELL LIMITED.

FURNITURE AUCTION, TUESDAY NEXT, 4TH MAR. 77 MERRION SQUARE.

THE COMPLETE FURNISHING OF THE DININGROOM, IN CARVED OAK, comprising: Dining Table, with carved edge; 8 Dining Chairs, upholstered in leather; 8 similar Chairs, in various upholstering; Dumb Waiter, Enclosed Bookcase, with press under; Overmantel Mirror, Sideboard, Arm Chair, Fern Stand, Carved Oak Hall Table, Chest, pair of Hall Chairs, Press and Stick Stand, American Rolltop Desk, Inlaid Walnut Davenport, Mahogany-frame Arm and Easy Chairs, Mahogany Enclosed Bookcase, with press under, 5ft. high, 16ft. long, in 2 self-contained sections; Doctor's Couch, Gilded-frame Overmantel and Wall Mirrors, Axminster and Turkey Carpets, Walnut Wardrobe, Walnut and other Beds, Wire and Hair Mattresses, Mahogany Chest of Drawers, Polished Birch Bedroom Suite, Sectional Bookcase and Filing Cabinet, Books, Electric Stove, Pictures, Kitchen Utensils, etc.

ON VIEW ON MORNING OF SALE FROM 10 O'CLOCK.

FURNITURE AUCTION, WEDNESDAY NEXT, 5TH MAR. BRENTFORD, ORWELL PARK.

HAVING SOLD THE HOUSE, WE ARE INSTRUCTED TO SELL: Mahogany Dining Table, with screw-expanding frame; Cottage Piano, in mahogany case, by Bord; Walnut Enclosed 2-door Bookcase, with press under; small do.; Mahogany Dumb Waiter, Antique Oak Bureau, with interior, fitted with inlaid mahogany drawers and pigeon holes; interesting Antique Oak Chest, with single drawer and cabriole legs; Inlaid Walnut Combined Escritoire and Work Table, Inlaid Walnut China Cabinet, with buhl mounts; Divan Chair, in plush, as new; Milner Safe, 8 Mahogany-frame Dining Chairs, Couch; Morris, Rocking, Arm, Bentwood and other Chairs; pair Carved Mahogany Hall Chairs, Walnut Side Table; Lace, Silk, Repp and other Curtains; Oil Paintings, Drawingroom Clock, in a Worcester placque; Singer Sewing Machine, Mahogany 2-door Wardrobe, Oak and Satin Walnut Bedroom Suites; Mahogany, Satin Walnut and Pine Chests of Drawers; Brass-mounted and Iron Beds, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Pine and Painted Wardrobes, Dinner and Tea Services, Black-frame Mirror, 5' x 4' 6"; Pine Dressing Chest, Commode, 4-fold Screen, Mangle, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils; Lawn Mower, Garden Tools, etc.

ON VIEW ON MORNING OF SALE FROM 10 O'CLOCK.

FURNITURE AUCTION, FRIDAY NEXT, 7TH MARCH. KILLOWEN, TERENURE PARK.

Including: Oak Cabinet Sideboard, with mirror back; Mahogany Screw-expanding Dining Table, Walnut Diningroom Suite, 9 pieces; Oak Secretaire, Enclosed Walnut Bookcase, with press under; Drawingroom Suite, comprising Settee, 2 Tub and 4 Occasional Chairs, Chesterfield, in tapestry; Walnut Cabinet, Occasional Table, Screen, Brass Curbs, Office and Bentwood Arm Chairs; Walnut, Gilded and Mahogany-framed Overmantel Mirrors, Walnut Hall Stand, Axminster Room and Stair Carpeting, Marble Mantel Clock, Oil Paintings, All-Brass and Brass-mounted Beds, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Walnut Bedroom Suite, Pine and White Enamel Wardrobes, Mahogany Toilet Mirror, Bedroom Ware, Vacuum Cleaner, Commode, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Copper Preserving Pan, Gas Cooking Stove, maid's room Furniture, Metal Garden Roller, Garden Seats, various Tools, etc.

ON VIEW ON MORNING OF SALE FROM 10 O'CLOCK.

CINEMA FITTINGS, MONDAY, 10TH MARCH.

HAVING SOLD THE THEATRE, we are now further instructed by the Receiver, E. J. Shott, Esq., F.C.A., to SELL, AT THE

CORINTHIAN THEATRE, EDEN QUAY.

Including Cinema Generating Set, consisting of Union 8.5 B.H.P. 50 Cycle Squirrell Cage Motor, 1,450 R.P.M., direct coupled to G. E. Co. 75 Volt 3 K.W. Compound Dynamo, S.W. Gear for above; 1-3 Pole 30 Amp M.E.M Iron-clad Switch, 1 Transformer type Starter, by B.T.H. Co., Shunt Regulator, 1 Cinema Generating Set, consisting of G.E.C. 14.5 B.H.P. Slip Ring Motor, direct coupled to one 100 Volt 9 K.W. G. E. Co. Compound-wound Generator, 1,460 R.P.M. S.W. Gear for above, one 100 Amp. 3-Pole Iron-clad Switch and Fuses and Starter, 1 Transformer, 10 K.W., 200/100 Volts Oil-cooled, by G.E.C.; 2 Simplex Projectors, complete with Simplex Lantern Boxes and Motor Film Driver; extra for above, 2 Powers, Type E, high intensified Motor-fed Arcs; 813 21" Seats (500 9" backs, 213 12" backs), Bech Grand Piano, Music Stands, 24 Ceiling Lights and other Electric Fittings, Fireproof Safe, 26 x 18 x 16; Multigraph Printing Machine and 3 Cases of Type and Accessories, Mahogany Dining Table, with screw frame; National Electric Ticket Issuing Machine, Arm Chairs, Occasional Chairs, Settee, B. W. Chairs, Fire Extinguishers, Stair and other Carpeting, Lino., Gas Fire, Curtains, Mats, Notice Boards, Wall Clock, Presses and Cupboards, etc., etc.

FURNITURE AUCTION, WEDNESDAY, 12TH MARCH. ROSEMOUNT, BALKILL ROAD, HOWTH.

HAVING SOLD THE PREMISES, we will SELL A LARGE RESIDUE OF FURNITURE, including: Mahogany Dining Table, Mahogany Hall Table, Carved Pedestal Sideboard, Mahogany Dining Chairs, pair of Ladies' Chairs, in stamped plush; Mahogany Falling-leaf Table, Birch Cabinet, Oak Cupboard, Arm Chair, Carved Mahogany Carver's Chair, Gilded and Mahogany Bedroom Furniture, 2-door Wardrobe, Toilet Tables, Chest of Drawers, Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Mahogany Couches, Engravings, maid's room Furniture, Mahogany Shaving Stand, some Kitchen Utensils, Garden Tools, etc., etc. ON VIEW ON MORNING OF SALE FROM 10 O'CLOCK.

FURNITURE AUCTION, FRIDAY, 14TH MARCH. RHIGA, 18 HARCOURT TERRACE.

Two Chesterfield Suites, in blue and gold damask; Mahogany Queen Anne Sideboard, Mahogany Screw-expanding Dining Table, 8 Mahogany Dining Chairs, Carved and Gilded and Walnut-framed Overmantel Mirrors, Mahogany Hall Table, carved in a Chippendale style; Mahogany Folding-top Table, 5 various Axminster Carpets, Axminster Stair Carpeting, some interesting Oil Paintings, Coloured Engravings, Lace and Tapestry Curtains, Mantel Clock, in inlaid mahogany case; Brass Fenders, some Plated Goods, All-brass Double Bedstead, Stained-wood Bedsteads, 2 Walnut Bedroom Suites, Stretcher Bed, Mahogany Wardrobe, Carved Walnut Console Table, Inlaid Mahogany Settee and pair of Arm Chairs en suite, Fireproof Safe, Mahogany Escritoire, some Kitchen Furniture, Electric Stove, China, etc.

ON VIEW ON MORNING OF SALE.

MOTOR SHOP EQUIPMENT, TUESDAY, 18TH MARCH. 10 ST. THOMAS LANE (OFF O'CONNELL ST.)

HAVING SOLD THE PREMISES, WE WILL SELL THE EQUIPMENT ON THE ABOVE DATE.

PROPERTY SALE, THURSDAY, 20TH MARCH. INCHICORE CINEMA.

This Theatre is most advantageously located, there being no opposition for booking films, as there is not another Talkie Picture House nearer than the city. Furthermore, about 800 new houses have been erected within ½-mile radius of this Theatre within the past twelve months, thus considerably increasing the number of residents in this already popular area. Seating capacity, 600. B.T.P. Talkie Installation put in three months ago.

The Premises are practically new, having been erected within the last 8 years; prominent position on the main road, adjoining the tram line. Concrete walls, brick front; tiled roof. Head rent, £30. Lease, 59 years.

This Theatre is doing a very good business and drawing crowded houses. The owner is selling for personal reasons.

51 PEARSE STREET.

FULLY FURNISHED BOARDING HOUSE, held for a term of 500 years, subject to yearly rent of £7 10s. 0d. The House contains 11 rooms, kitchens, hot bath, 2 w.c.'s; electric light throughout.

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SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

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SALE THIS DAY (SATURDAY), MONDAY AND TUESDAY NEXT

(In Continuation) EXTENSIVE AND MOST ATTRACTIVE THREE DAYS' SALE BY AUCTION OF HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE, PIANOFORTES, CARPETS, OIL PAINTINGS, AND VALUABLE APPOINTMENTS (Removed from City and Suburban Residences for Convenience of Sale).

Including:—A nearly new Upright Cottage Pianoforte, by Pigott and Co., Ltd.; two other sweet-toned Upright Cottage Pianos, by well-known makers; a superior Japanese Lacquered China Cabinet, two Empire Console Tables, Mahogany Curio Table, Circular Inlaid Mahogany Revolving Bookcase, Mahogany Cabinet for Gramaphone Records, three Reproduction China Display Cabinets, several Oak, Walnut and Mahogany Sideboards, Cabinets and Chiffoniers; four Mahogany Screw Expanding Dining Tables and sets of Dining Chairs, 6, 8 and 12 in each; Lounge and Easy Chairs, Occasional Tables and Chairs, Chesterfield Suites; BEDROOM FURNISHINGS in variety, Double and Single sizes; in Mahogany, Oak and Walnut; Duchesse Dressing Tables, Washstands, Chests of Drawers, Bedsteads and Bedding, Deal and Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Silver and Plated Ware, China, Glass and Ornamental Effects, etc., etc.; also a large Metal Garden Roller.

AUCTION STARTS 1 P.M. EACH DAY. Purchasers pay 5 per cent. fees.

JAMES HILL & SON, M.I.A.A.
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 9 AND 10 BACHELOR'S WALK.

SPECIAL SPRING SALE BY AUCTION OF PEACH & SONS, LTD.—LACE CURTAINS.

MESSRS. JAMES HILL & SON will SELL BY AUCTION, in their Rooms, 9 and 10 BACHELOR'S WALK, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, MARCH 6th and 7th, 1930, a Valuable Consignment of MESSRS. S. PEACH & SON'S NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS, Coloured Casements, Muslins, Filet Nets, Casement Materials, Fadeless Window Fabrics, Damasks, Sheetings, etc.

CATALOGUES ON APPLICATION. Purchasers pay 5 per cent. fees.
Full particulars in later advertisements.

JAMES HILL & SON, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 9 AND 10 BACHELOR'S WALK.

CLEARANCE SALE, BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, RIVERSDALE, DELGANY, CO. WICKLOW, ON WEDNESDAY NEXT, 5TH MARCH, 1930,

COMMENCING AT HOUR OF ONE O'CLOCK.

MESSRS. GARVEY & GOOD, having Sold this Property, are further instructed by the Owner to HOLD A CLEARANCE SALE, as above, which will comprise Horses, 1 Brood Mare, Milch Cows, Young Cattle, Poultry, Farming Implements, Carts, Traps and Harness, excellent Saddlery (by Box), Garden Tools, Garden Roller, Plants, Portable Poultry House, quantity Wire Netting, Antique and Modern Furniture, including French Cabinet, ditto Table, Bookcases, Writing Desks; Arm, Easy and Occasional Chairs; Oak Sideboard, Hall Table and Chairs, Oil Paintings, Carpets, Bedroom Furniture, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, and large collection of Miscellaneous Lots.

ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

GARVEY & GOOD, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS, LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN, AND GREYSTONES.

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE AND WANTED IN AND AROUND GREYSTONES AND CO. WICKLOW.

MESSRS. GARVEY & GOOD, Chartered Surveyors, Valuers and Auctioneers, LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN, have Opened A BRANCH OFFICE AT KIMBERLEY ROAD, GREYSTONES, CO. WICKLOW, and invite the confidence of the general public.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE AT AGHALOUGHAN AND TULLYREE, KNOWN AS THE HOLLOW, GLASLOUGH.

WE have been instructed to SELL THIS HOLDING BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Premises, on SATURDAY, 15th MARCH, at TWELVE O'CLOCK.

THE FARM COMPRISES 56a. 0r. 14p. HALF-YEARLY PAYMENT TO IRISH LAND COMMISSION, £16 2s. 5d. It is situated on leading road to Glaslough, and within half a mile of that place, and is considered one of the finest Residential Holdings in the district. The Land is of exceptional quality, well drained, fenced and watered, and is laid out with a view to the convenient working of the place. The Dwellinghouse is a very fine two-storey building, containing 2 reception rooms, breakfast room, 4 good bedrooms, bathroom, lavatory, servant's room, kitchen and pantries, hot and cold water. The Offices are substantial stone-built houses, fully up to the requirements of the Farm.

For further particulars apply to

W. SWAN & SON, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS, MONAGHAN.

No. 17 D'OLIER STREET, DUBLIN. CATERING AND RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT

(AS ALREADY FULLY ADVERTISED)

BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON TUESDAY NEXT, 4TH MARCH, AT THE HOUR OF 12 NOON.

ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE FROM 10 O'CLOCK.

HENRY CONNOLLY, F.N.A.A.,
AUCTIONEER, VALUER & COURT RECEIVER,
15 D'OLIER STREET, DUBLIN.

CARPET AUCTION, TUESDAY, 11TH MARCH, AT COX'S, 29 BACHELOR'S WALK, DUBLIN. BRITISH & ORIENTAL CARPETS & RUGS.

A magnificent collection of the finest quality and in the latest designs and colourings, comprising over 200 lots of Persian, Turkey, Anatolian, Indian, Malabar, Calcutta, Chinese and Mirzapore Carpets; Anglo-Turkey, Super-Wilton, Seamless Axminster and Brussels Squares, of beautiful designs and sizes, from 8ft. x 5ft. to about 20ft. x 15ft.; also a large variety of Rugs. Billiard Table Surrounds, Hall and Corridor Rugs, All-Wool Reversible Bedroom and Mohair Rugs, and several Rolls of fine Axminster and Wilton Stair Carpeting, from 18in. to 36in. wide, sold in lengths as required. Goods on View Monday before Sale. Catalogues free on application. Commissions executed. Telephone: 44271.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 13TH, AT 2.30 O'CLOCK, AT OUR SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY).

B. & Co. 11 LOWER HATCH STREET. 13TH MARCH

FIRST-CLASS TOWN RESIDENCE. POSSESSION. Situated in select locality, between Lower Leeson street and Earlsfort terrace. Contains:—Hall, 4 reception rooms, 7 bedrooms, excellent bathroom and lavatory basin (h. and c.), separate w.c., hot press with copper cylinder, gent's lavatory (h. and c. supply), pantry, kitchen and scullery (h. and c. supply); maids' large bedroom, storeroom, etc. Electric light throughout. Rear garden and entrance. Held for 790 years at £50 per annum. P.L.V., £45. Photograph and key with Auctioneers.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or
Messrs. GEORGE D. FOTTRELL and SONS, 46 Fleet street.

B. & Co. 9B LOWER ABBEY STREET. 13TH MARCH

MODERN BUILT BUSINESS PREMISES. Well let to good tenants. Shop and Basement let to Messrs. Fox Film Co., Ltd., at £300 per annum. First Floor let to Messrs. Adamson and Co. at £130 per annum. Landlord pays taxes in each case. Clear possession of the 2nd and 3rd Floors will be given to purchaser. Total P.L.V., £168 (subject to remission of rates).

Held under two leases from 1917 for 150 years, subject to £100 1s. 0d. per annum.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or
THOMAS R. T. CALLAN, Solicitor, 1 Suffolk street.

B. & Co. 1, 2, 3 AND 4 KENSINGTON VILLAS, UPPER MOUNTPLEASANT AVENUE, RATHMINES. 13TH MARCH

INVESTMENT PROPERTY, IN ONE OR MORE LOTS.

WELL LET, AND PRODUCING £211 10s. 0d. PER ANNUM. Held for 85 years and 11 months from March, 1855, at the yearly rent of £80. P.L.V., £75.

B. & Co. "SYDENHAM," HOWTH ROAD, CLONTARF. 13TH MARCH

WELL-BUILT HOUSE. LET IN FLATS, and producing a rental of £143 per annum. Held for 225 years from 29th September, 1919, subject to the yearly rent of £5.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or
Messrs. ARTHUR COX and CO., Solicitors, 42/3 Stephen's Green.

B. & Co. "ST. RITAS," SORRENTO RD., DALKEY. 13TH MARCH

(FORMERLY KNOWN AS "HILLVIEW")

SEMI-DETACHED. POSSESSION. Contains:—Drawingroom, diningroom, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom (h. and c.), 2 w.c.'s; conservatory, small garden, garage; gas light. (House is suitable for letting in three flats, if desired.)

Held for 500 years from October, 1927, subject to £15 per annum. P.L.V. £30. Seen on Order after 4 p.m. Photograph Auctioneers' Offices.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or
Messrs. LITTLE, O hUADHAIGH and PROUD, Solicitors, 12 Dawson street.

B. & Co. 2 NEW HOUSES, JAMESTOWN ROAD, INCHICORE. 13TH MARCH

SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES, WITH POSSESSION. Nicely situated; 'bus passes gate. Each contains:—Sittingroom, 3 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), w.c., kitchen (close range), large scullery, electric light; garden front and rear, and room for garage.

Lease for ever, subject to £5 each. Keys next door.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or
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WEDNESDAY, 19TH MARCH, AT 12 O'CLOCK. 11 LOWER HATCH STREET.

ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

FULL PARTICULARS IN FUTURE ADVERTISEMENTS.

OUR NEXT PROPERTY SALE WILL TAKE PLACE ON THE 27TH MARCH, AND WILL INCLUDE:—

B. & Co. 13 & 14 EARLSFORT TERRACE. 27TH MARCH

(PRESENTLY OCCUPIED BY MESSRS. SIEMENS, SCHUCKERTWERKE, A.G., CONTRACTORS TO THE SHANNON SCHEME).

TWO SPACIOUS MODERN-BUILT DWELLINGHOUSES, OCCUPYING CORNER SITE, WITH POSSESSION. Four storey over basement, with three rooms on each floor, with bathrooms and lavatories. Electric light and power plugs throughout. Good gardens and rear entrances. At present the Houses are connected, and can be utilised as one concern. Most suitable for a College or Commercial Institute, or Private Nursing Home.

Held as follows:—Head rent, £10 each House. Lease, 250 years from 1st November, 1878. Will be Sold separately or as one concern.

Further particulars, Order to View, from AUCTIONEERS, or
Messrs. ARTHUR COX and CO., Solicitors, 42/43 Stephen's Green.

B. & Co. "GLENMORE," CO. DONEGAL. 27TH MARCH

FEE SIMPLE PROPERTY WITH 161 ACRES. UNIQUE SPORTING FACILITIES.

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B. & Co. "ELMVILLE," SERPENTINE AVENUE. 27TH MARCH

BALLSBRIDGE. DETACHED RESIDENCE. Only seen by appointment.

Messrs. G. D. FOTTRELL and SONS, Solicitors, 46 Fleet street.

WE SHALL BE GLAD TO HAVE EARLY INTIMATION FROM SOLICITORS AND OTHERS DESIROUS OF INCLUDING LOTS.

FURNITURE AUCTIONS CONDUCTED AND VALUATIONS MADE ALL PARTS OF IRELAND.

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WM. MONTGOMERY & SON'S SALES.

SAORSTAT EIREANN. HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—IN BANKRUPTCY. IN THE MATTER OF AN ARRANGING DEBTOR.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at GAINSBORO' HOUSE SALEROOMS, 24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN, on TUESDAY, the 11th day of MARCH, 1930, at the hour of 2.30 p.m., ALL THE ESTATE AND INTEREST of the Arranging Debtor, his Trustee and Mortgagees of, in and to: ALL THAT AND THOSE, the House and Premises situate at Hamilton Row, now known as 47 Fenian street, in the Parish of St. Mark and City of Dublin. Held under a lease dated 8th November, 1924, for a term of 999 years from 1st November, 1924, at the yearly rent of £25. Poor Law Valuation, £30.

The Biddings taken by the Auctioneer will be submitted to the Court at the Law Courts, Dublin, on Friday, the 14th day of March, 1930, when, if approved of, the purchaser will be declared.

A Statement of Title and Conditions of Sale are lodged in the Office of the Court, and may be seen also in the Office of the undernamed Solicitor having Carriage of the Sale.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1930. W. H. BOYD, Registrar.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

The above Property consists of large Factory Premises, built of concrete, with timber and felt roof, and has double-gate entrance. There is a frontage of 26 feet to Fenian street and a main depth of 60 feet. Plot of Ground at rear, 26 feet x 45 feet. The Premises are favourably situated in a central position, very convenient to many of the leading city thoroughfares, and eminently suitable as Factory, Workshops or Omnibus Garage. The plot at rear provides space for extension of the existing building.

Proposals for purchase by Private Contract will be received by the Official Assignee up to the hour of Twelve o'clock noon on the 10th day of March, 1930. If an offer be made which can be recommended by the Vendors it will be submitted to the Court for approval without further notice.

For further information apply to:
A. G. HOLLINSHEAD, Esq., Official Assignee, Bankruptcy Buildings, Law Courts, Dublin.
EUGENE F. COLLINS & SON, Solicitors for Assignee, having Carriage of the Sale, 19 Eustace street, Dublin, where may be seen Statement of Title and Conditions of Sale.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
GAINSBORO' HOUSE, 24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

SAORSTAT EIREANN. HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—IN BANKRUPTCY. In the Matter of MICHAEL PHELAN, of No. 47 Upper George's street, Dun Laoghaire, County Dublin, a Bankrupt.

TENDERS

are invited for the purchase of all the Estate, Right, Title and Interest of the said Bankrupt, his Trustee (A. G. Hollinshead, Esq.), and the Mortgagee in and to the Premises known as Number 47 Upper George's street, Dun Laoghaire, in the County of Dublin, held under lease dated the 20th February, 1904, for a term of 58 years from the 1st January, 1904, at the yearly rent of £42.

Such Tenders are to be sent to A. G. Hollinshead, Esq., Official Assignee, Dublin Castle, on or before the 5th day of March, 1930. If approved, the highest offer will be submitted to the Court for confirmation without further notice to any person.

All offers are deemed to be subject to the Conditions of Sale already settled by the Chief Registrar of the Court, which may be inspected at the Office of the Official Assignee, or the Offices of the Solicitors.

Dated the 26th day of February, 1930. (Signed), W. H. BOYD, Registrar.
MALCOLMSON & LAW, Solicitors, 60 Dawson street, Dublin.

WILLIAM MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS,
GAINSBORO' HOUSE, 24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

DUNALAN HOTEL, ESPLANADE, BRAY, AND DUNALAN VILLA, ESPLANADE, BRAY.—IMPORTANT SALE of Valuable LEASEHOLD NON-BASEMENT RESIDENCES (together or separate).

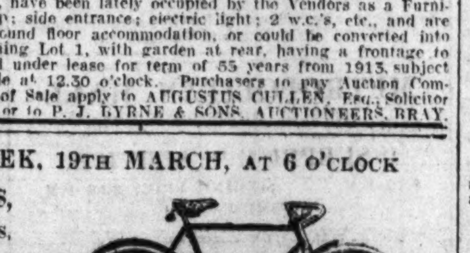
P. J. BYRNE & SONS have received instructions from the Owner to SELL BY AUCTION (if not previously disposed of by Private Treaty), at the PROPERTY SALEROOMS, QUINSBORO' ROAD, BRAY, on TUESDAY, 18th MARCH, 1930, the Interest in the Lease of the Premises known as "DUNALAN HOTEL," ESPLANADE, BRAY, and also the compact Dwellinghouse known as "DUNALAN VILLA," adjoining same. LOT 1—All That and Those, the Dwellinghouse and Premises known as Dunalan Hotel, with Plot of Ground attached, situated on the Esplanade, Bray, in the County of Wicklow, held under lease for a term of 999 years from the 29th day of September, 1860, at the yearly rent of £12 10/-. The accommodation consists of: Hall, diningroom (accommodate 30), reception room; telephone; large drawingroom, 11 bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c.), 2 w.c.'s, 2 servants' rooms, hot room, kitchen, close range, gas cooker, pantry, scullery; side entrance, yard, w.c.; electric light. These Premises, which are situated on the best part of the Esplanade, offer a unique opportunity to anyone requiring a Hotel with a first-class connection. All That and Those, Plot or Piece of Ground adjoining "Dunalan Hotel," held under lease for 99 years from the 29th day of September, 1927, at the yearly rent of £3 6/-. LOT 2—All That and Those, Dwellinghouse and Premises known as "Dunalan Villa," situated in Convent avenue, in the Township of Bray, and County of Wicklow, held under lease for term of 999 years from the 29th day of September, 1860, at the yearly rent of £12 10/-. The accommodation consists of: Hall, large drawingroom, large diningroom, 4 bedrooms, servant's room, bathroom (h. and c.), kitchen, close range, gas cooker; side entrance, yard, w.c.; electric light. Sale at 1 o'clock. Purchasers to pay Auction Commission. For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to WM. L. RYAN, Esq., Nelson street, Tipperary, Solicitor having Carriage of Sale; or to
P. J. BYRNE & SONS, AUCTIONEERS, BRAY.

FLORENCE ROAD, BRAY—SALE OF VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PREMISES (WITH POSSESSION).

P. J. BYRNE & SONS have received instructions from Messrs. J. E. Griffin and Sons to SELL BY AUCTION, at the PROPERTY SALEROOMS, QUINSBORO' ROAD, BRAY, on TUESDAY, 18th MARCH, 1930, the Interest in the Lease of these VALUABLE PREMISES, in which the Vendors have carried on a Furniture Establishment for some time, and the Wooden Structure adjoining, also in possession of the Vendors. DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS—1. Substantial Premises, which are situated close to Main street, having a frontage of 30 feet to the Florence road, depth 66 feet, and held under lease dated 28th July, 1925, for a term of 43 years from the 25th March, 1925, subject to the nominal yearly rent of £6. Poor Law Val., £12. These Premises, which were recently built for the Bray Art Furnishing Company at very considerable expense, have been lately occupied by the Vendors as a Furniture Depôt, contain Showrooms, spacious Workshop; side entrance; electric light; 2 w.c.'s, etc., and are very suitable for business requiring extensive ground floor accommodation, or could be converted into Dwellinghouse and Shop. 2. Wooden Shed adjoining Lot 1, with garden at rear, having a frontage to Florence road of 22 feet, depth 66 feet, and held under lease for term of 55 years from 1913, subject to the yearly rent of £15. P. L. Val., £1. Sale at 12.30 o'clock. Purchasers to pay Auction Commission. For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to AUGUSTUS CULLEN, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, Church street, Wicklow; or to P. J. BYRNE & SONS, AUCTIONEERS, BRAY.

SALE NEXT MONDAY WEEK, 19TH MARCH, AT 6 O'CLOCK

BICYCLES AND MOTOR BIKES, IN THE DIVISIONAL AUCTION ROOMS, 8 MERCHANTS' QUAY (Opposite Four Courts).



SALE BY AUCTION OF 150 BICYCLES AND 8 MOTOR BIKES, from

THE WINETAVERN STREET PAWN OFFICE.

Comprising: 150 LADIES' and GENT'S HIGH-GRADE BICYCLES, by all the noted makers; and 8 Motor Bikes, including 3¼ Triumphs, 2¾ Douglas, 2¾ 4-Speed Rudge, O.H.V., etc.

NOTE.—The above Property will be on View at Auction Rooms Next Saturday, 8th, and Monday, from 10 to hour of Sale, 6 o'clock. Sale commencing with Motor Bikes.

L. GARLAND, AUCTIONEER and VALUER, 8 MERCHANT'S QUAY.

1930. WAKEFIELD CATTLE MARKET.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

On and after MONDAY, the 31st MARCH NEXT, the Wakefield Cattle Market will be held on

MONDAY

as well as Wednesday.

Dealers and Buyers can select which day to attend the Market, but it is expected that the MONDAY MARKET will best facilitate the distribution of supplies from the Market.

GERALD BEAUMONT,
Clerk to the Governors.

IMPORTANT TO DAIRYMEN, CATTLE EXPORTERS, &c.

I HAVE been instructed by Messrs. Carr TO LET BY AUCTION, on MONDAY, MARCH 10th, at 3 p.m., about 100 ACRES OF PRIME GRAZING LAND AT PARLICKSTOWN, MULHUDDART, CO. DUBLIN, IN SUITABLE DIVISIONS.

ON a date to be arranged, about 30 ACRES at AUBURN, MALAHIDE, for C. H. Murphy, Esq.

TO LET BY PRIVATE TREATY, about 50 ACRES at AUGHERSKEA, DRUMREE.

G. H. LENNON, M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneer and Live Stock Salesman,
29 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

PROBERT & McMAHON.

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS.

SALE FRIDAY, 21ST MARCH, AT 12, IN OUR SALEROOMS, AT 132 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN.

VALUABLE BUSINESS PREMISES WITH EXTENSIVE REAR FOR SALE.

Nos. 18, 19, 20 AND 21 NORTH BRUNSWICK STREET, AND Nos. 6, 9, 10 AND 11 GRANGEGORMAN.

WE are instructed by Messrs. Cullen, Allen and Co., Ltd., to OFFER THE ABOVE PROPERTY FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in our Salerooms. The Premises are very extensive, and consist of fine Offices and very extensive Out-Buildings, and a large Plot of Ground.

The Premises, 18, 19 and 21 NORTH BRUNSWICK STREET, are held for 250 years from 1910 at the low rent of £20 per annum, and No. 20 is held for ever at the low rent of £26 5s. The Poor Law Valuation of the entire is £129.

The Auctioneers desire to draw special attention to this valuable property, and it is especially suitable for cattle salesmen or others requiring large premises near the markets.

Portion of the property is let to excellent tenants at £150 16s. 6d., but the greater part of the property is in hands, and possession will be given.

For Conditions of Sale apply to ROBERT WALLACE, Esq., Solicitor, "Saxone House," Donegall place, Belfast; or, with Orders to View, from the Auctioneers.

SALE OF TIMBER (ALL IN PLANKS) AND SOME MACHINERY AT THE BARROW STREET STORES (LAWE'S CHEMICAL MANURE CO.) ON FRIDAY NEXT, 7TH MARCH, AT 12.

Comprising:—Three Oil-cake Breakers, 3 Scales (somewhat damaged), 2 Scales in good condition, 2 Platform Scales (7 Cwts.), 4 Trucks, 1 Weigh Bridge (1 Ton). A large quantity of Planks and Timber used for dividing various sections in the Store. For Sale in lots to suit purchasers.

Orders to View from the Auctioneers.

SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, ON WEDNESDAY, 12TH MARCH, AT 12 O'CLOCK, ON THE PREMISES, "WAKEFIELD," 5 ULSTER TERRACE, STILLORGAN PARK.

THE FURNITURE COMPRISES PRINCIPALLY:—DRAWINGROOM Suite, in tapestry (7 Pieces, and Settee and Pillows); Walnut Octagonal Table, Marlborough Table, Set of Nelson Tables, 2 Crinoline Chairs, Sheraton-pattern Bureau Bookcase, International Library, China Coffee Set (15 Pieces), Clock and Bronzes, 14 Pictures, etc., etc. DININGROOM Suite, in walnut and pegamoid (9 Pieces); Mahogany Bureau Bookcase, Books, Telescope Dining Table, Mahogany Overmantel, Carpet, Rug and Stools; Bookshelves, Encyclopædia Brittanica, Tantalus, Sideboard. BREAKFAST ROOM—Mahogany Sideboard, Bureau Bookcase and Books, Mahogany Suite and two Carvers, Singer Sewing Machine, Bracket Clock, Oak Dining Table, 2 Wireless Receivers, Doulton Dinner Service. BACK BEDROOM—Bedstead and Hair Mattress, Toilet Tables, Mahogany Wardrobe, 3 Chairs, Table, Carpet and Rug. FRONT BEDROOM—Mahogany Bedstead and Hair Mattress, Duchesse Set, Mahogany Suite, 6 Pieces; Dressing Chest and Glass. SMALL BEDROOM—Bedstead and Mattress. HALL AND STAIRS—Wardrobe, 3-tier; small Wardrobe, Table, 2 Chairs, Hat Rack, Carpets and Rug.

N.B.—THE NEXT PROPERTY SALE HAS BEEN FIXED FOR FRIDAY, MARCH 21st, AND THE AUCTIONEERS WILL BE GLAD TO HAVE EARLY NOTICE FROM SOLICITORS AND CLIENTS WHO MAY DESIRE TO INCLUDE THEIR PROPERTY.

PROBERT & McMAHON, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS.
132 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN, DUBLIN.
TELEPHONE 52552. LONDON OFFICE: 11 SOUTHAMPTON ROW.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES.

TUESDAY NEXT, 4TH MARCH. 8 ADELAIDE STREET, DUN LAOGHAIRE.

HELD FOR 99 YEARS FROM 1st MAY, 1903, SUBJECT TO £18. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

Occupies an exceptionally desirable residential position opposite Mariners' Church. Contains eight apartments, bathroom (h. and c.), electric light; good garden at rear and rear entrance.

HAYES and SON, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, Nassau street.

JOHN MELEADY, DECEASED. EXECUTOR'S SALE.

IN THREE LOTS. LOT 1—81-82 LOWER MOUNT STREET; large Premises at rear. LOT 2—EXTENSIVE STABLING and COTTAGE in GRATTAN COURT, rear of Lower Mount street. LOT 3—PLOT OF GROUND in GRATTAN COURT, measuring about 200 feet.

The foregoing will be Sold in three Lots, of which full particulars and details can be had from AUCTIONEERS, or PETER M. SEALES, Solicitor, 11 College Green.

SALE TUESDAY, 11TH MARCH. RATHDRUM, CO. WICKLOW.

BY DIRECTIONS OF MRS. NORAH NEARY.

A SIX-DAY RETAIL LICENSED HOUSE known as NEARY'S, FAIR GREEN, RATHDRUM, containing business flat and eight apartments, together with well-equipped steam Bakery Premises, capable of being at once started, fitted with first-class ovens, dough mixers, etc.; motor garage, petrol pump, and extensive range of out-offices. Also a Plot of Ground, containing about 2 acres adjoining. The entire held for ever, free of rent, will be Sold, with Possession, in one Lot.

Messrs. M. J. O'CONNOR & CO., Solicitors, Wexford.

SALE THURSDAY NEXT, 6TH MARCH, ON THE PREMISES, 15 SEAFORT PARADE, WILLIAMSTOWN. HOUSE AND FURNITURE.

House faces the sea, in a nice, private situation, within a few minutes' walk of tram, contains two sittingrooms, three bedrooms, bathroom and kitchen. Lease 150 years from 1903. Ground rent, £7. Possession.

The Household Furniture and Effects will be Sold on same day. Leasehold Interest at 12.30.

GILTRAP & LAMBERT, Solicitors, 33 South Frederick street.

ROCKFORT, SANDYCOVE AVENUE, E. PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

THIS DELIGHTFUL SEASIDE DETACHED VILLA RESIDENCE, in perfect order, with all modern improvements, occupying one of the choicest situations along the coast.

The MARTELLO TOWER is included in the grounds. The garden is tastefully laid out. The Dwellinghouse has excellent accommodation, bathroom, etc. Full details in future advertisements.

Held partly for 150 years from 1915, subject to £15 a year, and partly for 99 years from 1925 at £20 per annum.

Messrs. BAKER, RINGWOOD & GORDON, Solicitors, 8 Clare street.

ON AN EARLY DATE.

£95 5s. 2d. PER ANNUM, THOROUGHLY SECURED RENT arising out of No. 27 Westmoreland street, held under fee-farm grant, dated July, 1859, subject to the yearly rent of £25 6s. 1d. and sub-leased for lives renewable for ever at £126 per annum, showing, after adjustments, a well secured rent of £95 5s. 2d. for Sale.

A. E. WALKER, Solicitor, 1 College street, Dublin.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., AUCTIONEERS,
110 GRAFTON STREET

HOUSE AND OFFICE FURNITURE.

MESSRS. BENNETT & SON, LTD., have arranged to SELL, in their AUCTION ROOMS, on THURSDAY NEXT, COMMENCING AT 12.30 P.M., A LARGE QUANTITY OF ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, SILVER AND PLATE, AND MISCELLANEA.

ON VIEW WEDNESDAY NEXT.

INTENDING VENDORS SHOULD IMMEDIATELY COMMUNICATE WITH

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.
PHONE: 21237.

"AVOCA," 3 MOUNT EDEN ROAD, DONNYBROOK

(OFF MOREHAMPTON ROAD).

MESSRS. BENNETT & SON are in receipt of instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, in their SALE ROOMS at 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, on MONDAY, MARCH 10th, 1930, at ONE O'CLOCK,

THE ABOVE PREMISES, WITH POSSESSION.

"AVOCA" WILL BE OFFERED IN FEE-SIMPLE WITHOUT GROUND RENT.

THE HOUSE contains 2 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, dressing room, bathroom, 2 lavatories, kitchen, pantries, etc.; out-offices and garden at rear. Permit to inspect can be obtained from the AUCTIONEERS.

SOLICITORS HAVING CARRIAGE OF THE SALE, Messrs. H. & W. STANLEY, 59 Dawson street.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.
PHONE: 21237.

"AVOCA," 3 MOUNT EDEN ROAD, DONNYBROOK

(OFF MOREHAMPTON ROAD).

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, desire to announce that they will SELL BY AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12th, 1930, commencing at ONE O'CLOCK, the CONTENTS OF THE ABOVE RESIDENCE, consisting chiefly of: An Antique Mahogany Bookcase and Cabinet, Empire Dining Table, on carved pillar supports, with set of 6 Chairs to match; pair of Antique Folding Card Tables, French China Cabinet, with Sèvres medallions; 6 old English Carved and Painted Chairs, pair of Sheraton Elbow ditto; Barometer, in Sheraton case; Cottage Piano, in walnut, by Kirkman; Easy and Occasional Chairs, Gilt Overmantel, old Sheffield Plated Ware, pair of Oval Worcester Dishes (crescent mark) and other Ornamental China, old Cut Glass, small Library of Books, Prints and Engravings, Hall Furniture, Axminster Carpets. THE BEDROOM FURNITURE comprises chiefly: Mahogany Wardrobes, Chests of Drawers and Dressing Tables, Toilet Glasses, Cabinet, Brass and Iron Bedsteads, with Box Springs and Hair Mattresses, Bedding, and Painted Presses; Kitchen Furniture, Valor Perfection Cooking Stove, Table Glass and China, Meat Safe, Outdoor Effects, etc. On View the day preceding. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. Fees. Admittance to View and Sale by Card only, price 1/ each, which will be refunded to purchasers.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.
TELEPHONE: NO. 21237.

GRAZING TO LET.

AT TASSAGGART, SAGGART—The Lawn, 39 acres; Upper College, 24 acres; Lower College, 24 acres; Fair Green, 10 acres.
AT JOBSTOWN, TALLAGHT—Dairyfields, 17¾ acres; Whitestown, 17¾ acres.
AT COLLINSTOWN, CLONDALKIN—22 acres.
AT GRANGE, RAHENY—23 acres.
AT GUNNOCKS, CLONEE—29 and 33 acres.
AT TRIMLESTON, BOOTERSTOWN—10 acres.

Apply—

R. & J. WILKINSON,
M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneers, etc.,
40 and 41 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

STORE CATTLE SALE EVERY THURSDAY.

ENTRIES SOLICITED.

R & J. WILKINSON,
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INCORPORATED SOCIETY OF AUCTIONEERS AND LANDED PROPERTY AGENTS.

MEMBERSHIP (OVER) 2,500.

NOTICE.

Entrance to the Society is now ordinarily by Examination, but the Council is prepared to consider waiving this qualification in the cases of practitioners of mature age and extensive professional experience—more particularly those in Scotland, Ireland, and from Overseas.

Full details from
MR. JOHN STEVENSON (General Secretary)
26 Finsbury square, LONDON, E.C.2.

FARM AND RESIDENCE, FARMERS' VALE, RATHCOOLE, CO. DUBLIN.

WE are instructed by the owner, Mr. John Groome, to SELL BY AUCTION, at our Auction Mart, Old Cabra road, Dublin, on THURSDAY, 20th MARCH, 1.30 o'clock, the Farm and Residence known as Farmers' Vale. Area, 137 acres, 3 roods, 23 perches, Statute measure, held as judicial tenancy, at £78 per year, but at present under 1923 Land Act subject to interest in lieu of rent £58 10/- per year, which will be further reduced when vested. P.L.V., £137.

This is a good farm, very well watered, and situated barely half mile off main Naas road, about ten miles from Dublin.

The residence is two storey over basement, contains 6 rooms and kitchen, out-offices, cow house for 20 cattle, do. for 15 (loose), stable (3 horses), motor house, barn, piggery and boiler house.

The lands are all in pasture, except about three acres new grass, three do. turnip ground, and three do. stubble, and are well fenced.

Condition of Sale from
Messrs. MONKS and GAYNOR, Solicitors, 37 Molesworth street, Dublin.

LAURENCE CUFFE & SONS, LTD.,
Auctioneers,
5 SMITHFIELD, DUBLIN.

LANDS TO LET.

OFFERS REQUESTED WITHOUT DELAY FOR
35 ACRES—The Lugg, Saggart (Mrs. Kelly).
20 and 14 ACRES—Jamestown, Sandyford.
30 ACRES in 3 Divisions at Dean's Grange, for M. F. O'Brien.

LAURENCE CUFFE & SONS, LTD.,
5 SMITHFIELD. 'Phone 21441.

A WOMAN DETECTIVE tells her adventures in To-day's "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES." Price Twopence, at all Newsagents.

MOUNT DILLON, ARTANE, CO. DUBLIN.

GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE, LIVE STOCK AND OUTDOOR EFFECTS FOR SALE.

MESSRS. JOHN P. CUFFE, LIMITED, have been instructed by Mrs. Gately (who is changing her residence) to SELL the above by PUBLIC AUCTION (on the ground) on TUESDAY, 11th MARCH, 1930, at 12 o'clock.

Immediately afterwards, to LET, 14½ ACRES of the Lands adjoining, for Grazing for the season (if not previously let privately), and to SELL the LIVE STOCK and OUTDOOR EFFECTS.

Particulars—Mount Dillon House is a substantially built, two-storey, up-to-date red-brick Residence, containing drawingroom, diningroom, breakfast parlour, telephone, 7 bedrooms, bathroom, w.c., kitchen pantry, etc., hot and cold water; concrete yard, stabling for 3 horses, cow house, garage, store house, hay loft, etc.; fruit and vegetable garden, two greenhouses, all in perfect order, standing on 5½ acres, S.M., approached by short avenue, nicely surrounded by old timber, gate lodge, the lot forming a very attractive Gentleman's Residence, situated on the main road, Dublin to Malahide, convenient to the village of Artane, and 3 miles from G.P.O. Held for 999 years from 1st November, 1903, subject to £40 per annum. P.L.V. on Land £9 10/-, Buildings £22 15. Constant 'bus service past the gate.

Immediate possession will be given.

LIVE STOCK and OUTDOOR EFFECTS—17 Cows in full milk and all in calf; one 2-year pedigree Dairy Shorthorn Bull; two Cob Horses, excellent workers; Set Cart Harness, Set Van Harness, Milk Float, Farm Cart; one 15 gal., three 10 gal. and four 5 gal. Churns, Butter Worker, Milk Separator (Olympic P.3); 3 h.p. Petrol Engine (new), Ford Touring Car, 1927; Pierce Root Cutter, Milk Churn (new); Galvanized Tank (600 gals.), Barrow, Ropes, Forks, Sowing Machine, large Heap Manure, etc., etc.

J. FAGAN, Esq., Solicitor, having Carriage of Sale, 58 Rutland square, Dublin.

JOHN P. CUFFE, LIMITED,
Auctioneers and Valuers and Live Stock Salesmen,
31 MANOR STREET, DUBLIN.

GRAZING LANDS TO LET.

St. Margaret's, 45, 20 Acres; Ballymun, 40, 38, 22 Acres; Knocksedan, 40 Acres; Ashbourne, 25 Acres; Kilbride, 60 Acres; Donabate, 67, 42 Acres.

CRAIGIE BROS.,
37 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

CITY OF LIMERICK. Nos 9 & 10 LOCK QUAY.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION OF THE ABOVE VALUABLE THREE-STOREY NEWLY-BUILT RESIDENTIAL 7-DAY LICENSED PREMISES,

To be held at
THE SALESROOMS, 68 O'CONNELL STREET, LIMERICK,
On FRIDAY NEXT, MARCH 7th, At One O'Clock.

MESSRS. A. J. SEXTON and SON have been instructed to Sell, as above

All that and those the above Seven-Day Valuable Licensed Premises, comprising spacious fitted shop, with two plate glass windows, fitted with counters and shelving throughout, snuggery, taproom, brass wash basin, water laid on; patent w.c. adjoining taproom at rear of shop; also spacious bottling store, with commodious concrete yard adjoining, with rear entrance to Flag lane at rear of premises, adapted for dealing with an extensive licensed trade and grocery business, with dwellinghouse overhead, containing spacious tiled hall, drawingroom, diningroom, five bedrooms, tiled kitchen and scullery, with sink, h. and c. water, opening to a large concrete roof, surrounded by parapet wall, 4ft. high; linen room, tiled bathroom, fitted with washbasin, h. and c. water; patent w.c.

The entire residence is fitted throughout with electric light.

The premises are held under lease for 99 years, subject to a head rent of £50 per annum. P.L.V., £35 0s. 0d. Licence, £21 5s. 3d.

Special attention is directed to this Sale, as the entire premises has been newly built within the past few years, and are only liable for one-third of the rates.

The premises occupies a commanding position, enjoys a wide and long-standing connection, has an assured, well established and remunerative business all the year round, with an increasing and profitable turnover, and affords a rare opportunity to any party of procuring an old and well-established concern, which will be bound to prove a highly profitable investment.

The books of the vendor may be inspected as to turnover.

One quarter of the purchase money required as deposit at sale. Usual commission of 5 per cent. Particulars and Conditions of Sale from
JAMES A. DOYLE, Esq., Solicitor, O'Connell street, Limerick.

A. J. SEXTON & SON,
M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneers and Valuers.
68 O'CONNELL STREET, LIMERICK.
Tel. 234.

SUBURBS OF LIMERICK. "SHANNON LAWN," NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION, WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION, OF THIS WELL-CIRCUMSTANCED GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE,

with Front Gate Lodge, and usual Equipments, Standing Detached upon its own Grounds, containing 5 Acres, 3 Roods and 16 Perches, Statute Measure,

To be held at the
SALESROOMS, 68 O'CONNELL STREET, LIMERICK,
On FRIDAY NEXT, MARCH 7th, At One O'Clock.

A. J. SEXTON and SON have been instructed by Captain Sir Francis Kearney to SELL BY AUCTION, as above—

All that and those the Residence, Grounds and Premises, known as "Shannon Lawn," North Circular road, Limerick. Held under lease for 999 years, subject to the yearly rent of £40 17s. 3d. P.L.V. on house, £54. On land, £11.

The Residence, having a tower attached, has a very attractive and imposing appearance, is two-storey, substantially built, with porch entrance, contains roomy hall, drawingroom, diningroom, billiard room, library, two smaller sittingrooms, large kitchen, with range; servants' apartments, scullery, coalhouse, seven bedrooms, "Oratory," two bathrooms, patent w.c.'s. The tower attached to the residence contains three rooms.

The Out-offices consist of loose boxes, coach-house, motor house, three greenhouses, flower, fruit and vegetable gardens. The grounds around the house are tastefully laid out, ornamental founts, tennis court, etc. There are about two acres of good pasture land.

"Shannon Lawn" is desirably situated in the favourite suburb of the city, has a southerly aspect, private and retired, and within easy distance, approached direct from the North Circular road by handsome iron gate entrance, gate lodge, winding gravelled avenue to residence. The grounds are well planted, providing privacy and shelter.

The house commands a delightful view of the River Shannon, also from the top of the tower a commanding view is obtainable of the surrounding country.

Inspection invited. Cards to View from the Auctioneers.

Usual commission of 5 per cent. Particulars and Conditions of Sale from
P. S. CONNOLLY and CO., Solicitors, 86 O'Connell street, Limerick.

A. J. SEXTON & SON,
M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneers and Valuers.
68 O'CONNELL STREET, LIMERICK
Tel. 234.

SALE OF TWO LARGE HUTS AT CENTRAL HOSPITAL, NAVAN,

FOR CO. MEATH BOARD OF HEALTH.
On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 5th MARCH, 1930,
At One o'clock.

Wooden Huts, 61ft. x 22ft. and 32ft. x 26ft., Roofed with Iron, with Partitions, Doors, Windows, etc.

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